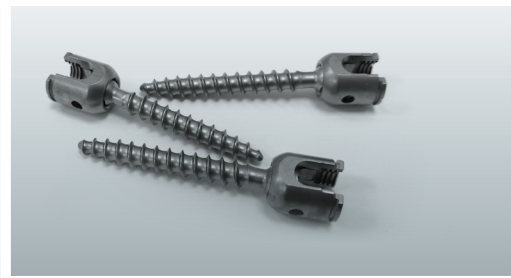
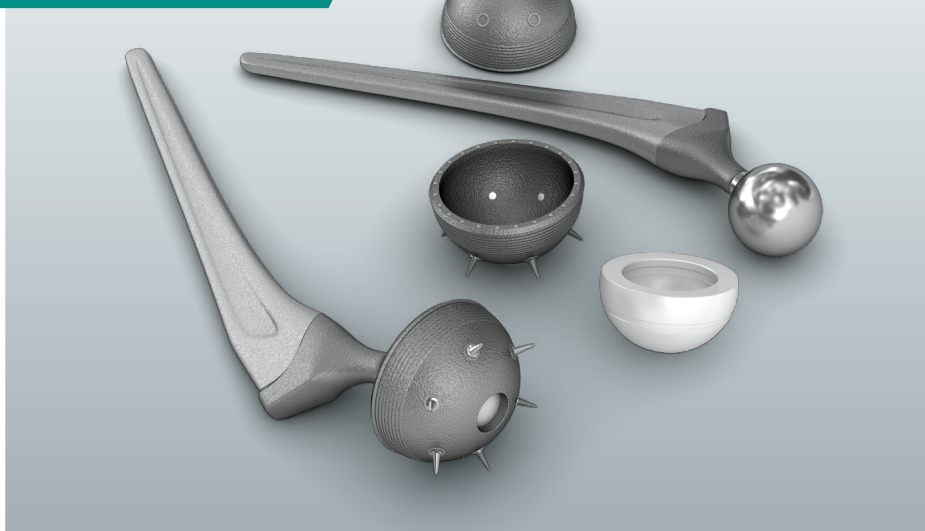


# Production Technology – Solutions for the medical industry

Components, materials and applications

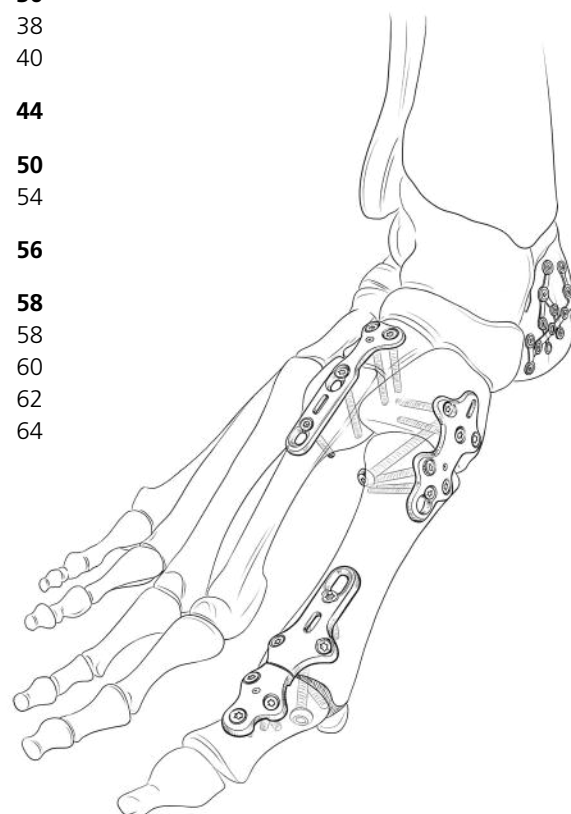
Tools. Next Level.





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# Materials and applications

## Surface requirements

The assessment of surface quality predominantly depend on the type of product.

- **Implants** are often not polished at all; on the contrary, they are roughened to allow the implant to “merge” better with the body substance.
- For **surgical instruments**, the aim is to achieve the highest polished surface quality possible. This is important to minimise bacterial adhesion.

## Materials determine the selection of the tool

Material selection is focussed on the required **thermal, chemical and mechanical properties of the materials**, the processability of the surfaces and the ability to sterilise them using conventional methods. Furthermore, enormous corrosion resistance and biocompatibility are also frequently demanded.

## Titanium alloys, ceramics or fibre-reinforced plastics are frequently used.

These materials usually pose a challenge for cutting tools because, in line with the requirements of medical technology, the very alloy components that would simplify the cutting process, such as sulphur and phosphorus, must not be present or only in very small percentages.

In addition, the **surfaces of the medical technology tools** must be specially treated and, if necessary, coated. To **prevent unwanted substance deposits on the component**, it is also important to ensure that this coating is harmless.

**Plastics** have to fulfil a wide range of requirements:

- heat resistance for sterilisation-proof plastics
- impermeability to X-rays
- low density for weight reduction in instruments
- colour-coding for size or application.

This leads to the use of thermosets and thermoplastics; **PEEK, PP, PPSU, UHMWPE** or **POM** are widely used. As they all have low thermal conductivity in common, the heat generated by the machining process must be dissipated with the chip.

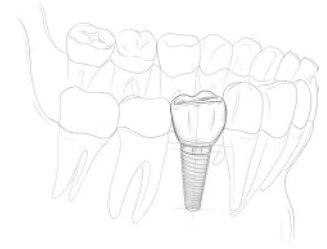
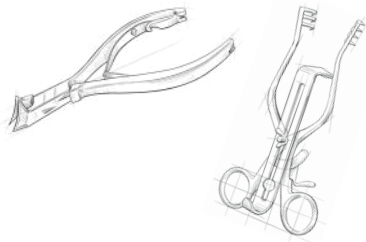
**Carbon fibre (reinforced) plastic**, known as CFRP or carbon, consists of carbon fibres and a plastic matrix, usually epoxy resin. Machining is carried out by breaking the fibres. This material is sensitive to heat, as the matrix can degenerate. There is also a risk of CFRP delaminating.





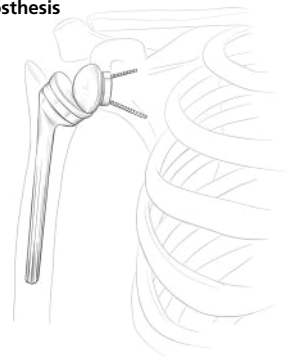
# Medical industry components

Surgical instruments

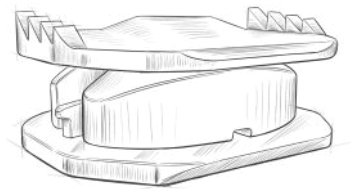


Dental implants

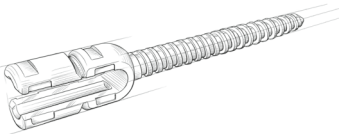
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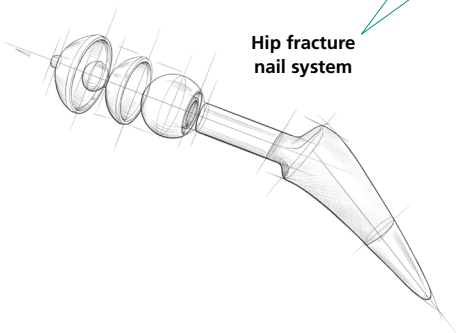
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Bone screws



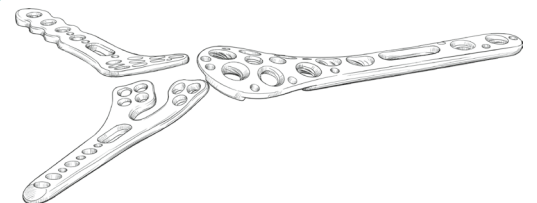
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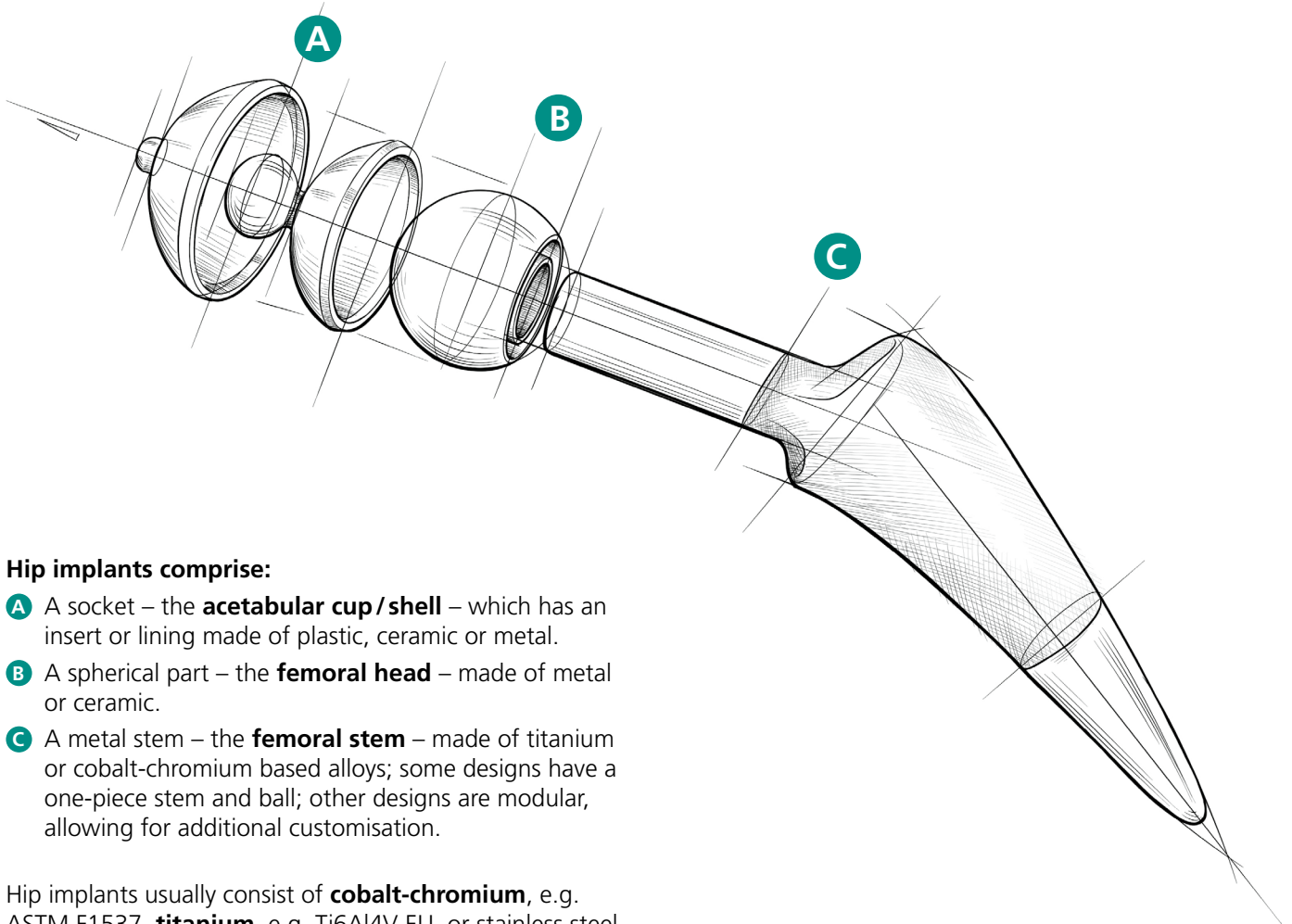
Knee prosthesis



Bone plates



# Hip joint machining



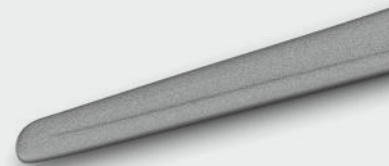
## Hip implants comprise:

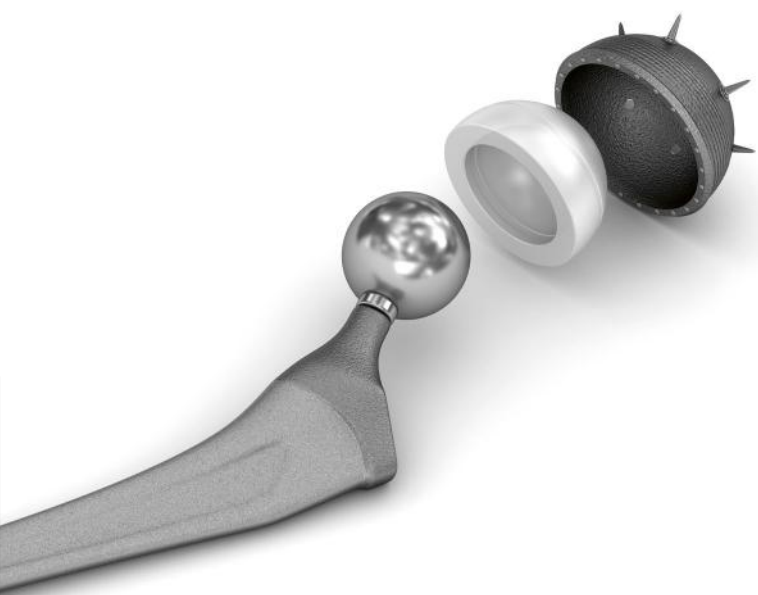
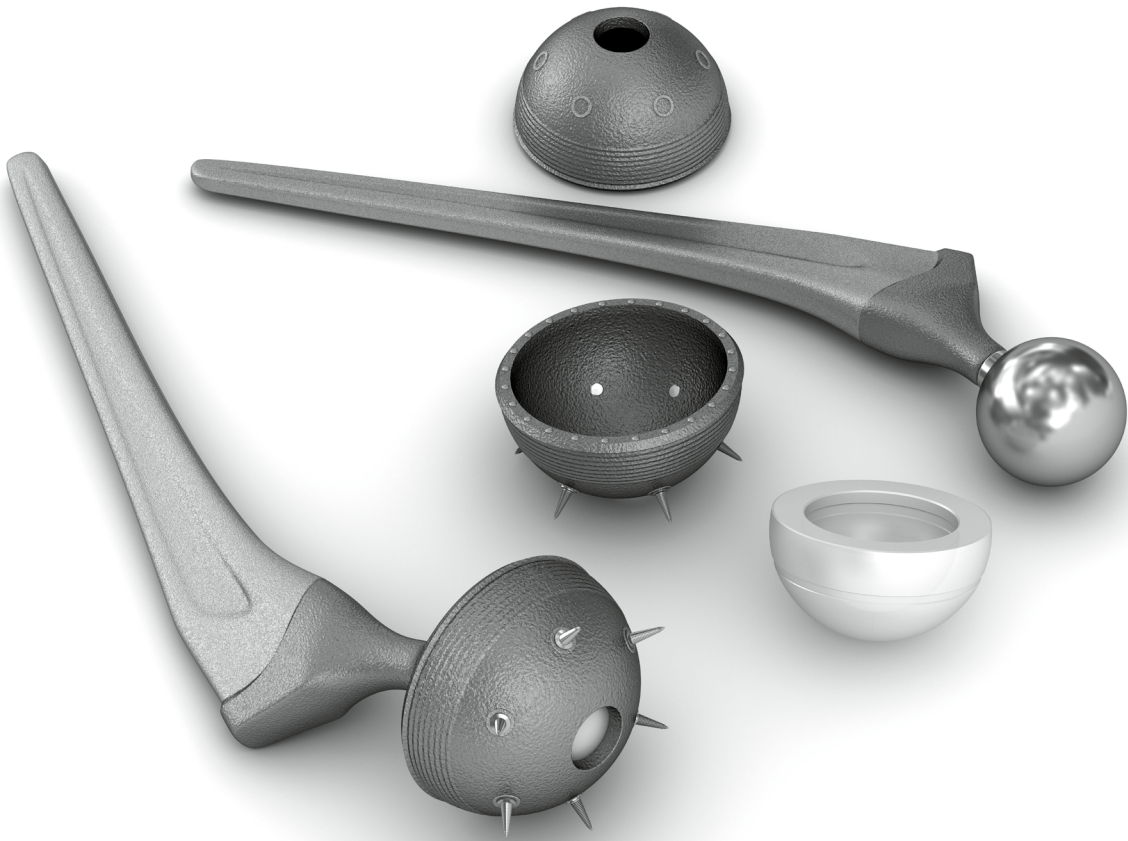
- A** A socket – the **acetabular cup/shell** – which has an insert or lining made of plastic, ceramic or metal.
- B** A spherical part – the **femoral head** – made of metal or ceramic.
- C** A metal stem – the **femoral stem** – made of titanium or cobalt-chromium based alloys; some designs have a one-piece stem and ball; other designs are modular, allowing for additional customisation.

Hip implants usually consist of **cobalt-chromium**, e.g. ASTM F1537, **titanium**, e.g. Ti6Al4V ELI, or stainless steel for medical applications 316LVM.

## PROPERTIES

- Fixturing is a challenge
- Small batches production
- Forged and cast blanks for the stem
- Rod material for femoral head and acetabular cup
- The machines used for these components are mostly multi-axis machines, 3-axis lathes, vertical 5-axis machining centres and multi-task machines, (e.g. Mazak Intergrex E410e).





## A Acetabular cup

### 1 MILLING

SANDVIK  
**COROMANT**  
**CoroMill® Plura HD**

Optimised solution for milling difficult-to-machine materials



### 3 CIRCULAR INTERPOLATION

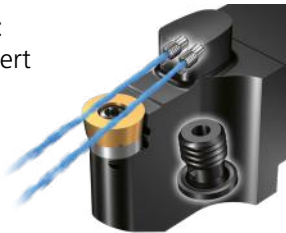
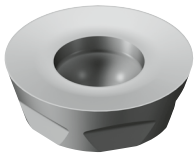
SANDVIK  
**COROMANT**  
**CoroMill® 216 Ballnose**

Circular interpolation



### Round inserts R300

Pre-finishing/Finishing:  
with positive round insert



### CoroTurn 107 boring bars with EasyFix™ clamping holders

Roughing: with T-Max P. Use high-pressure cooling  
for chip control and process reliability.



### IFANGER

### Profiling turning bars

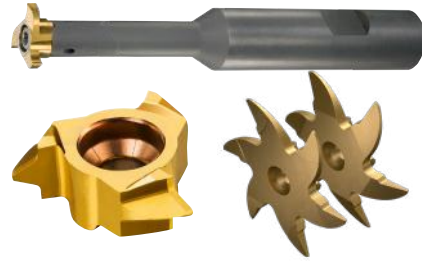
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### 6 GROOVES, THREADS AND CHAMFERS

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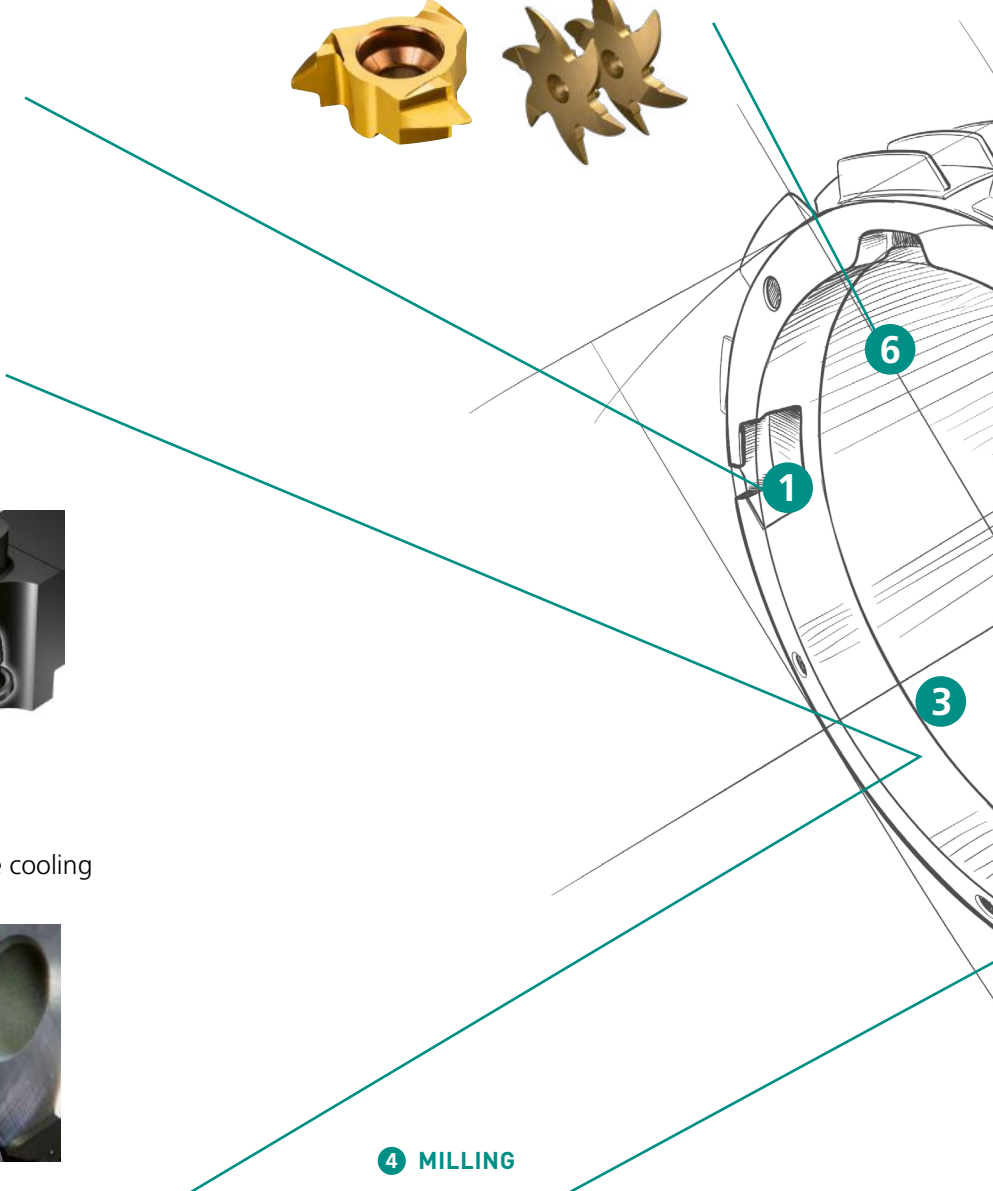
Flexible application



### 4 MILLING

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**CoroMill® Plura HFS**

Optimised solution for dynamic milling  
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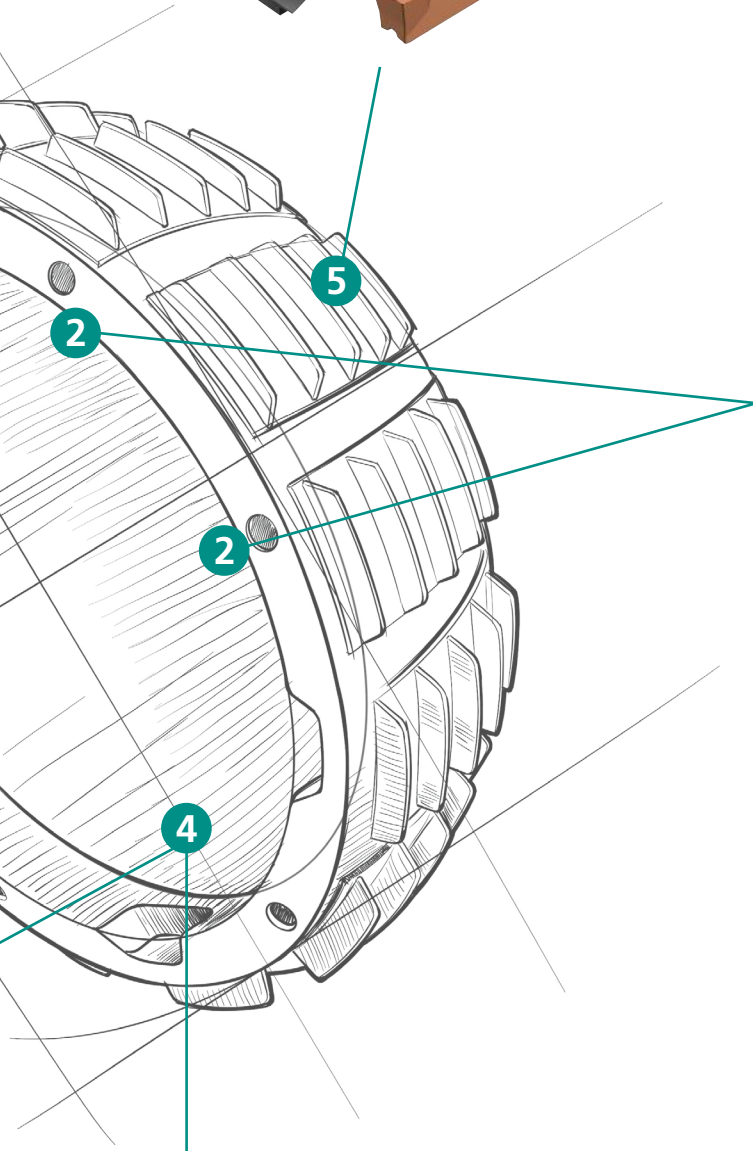
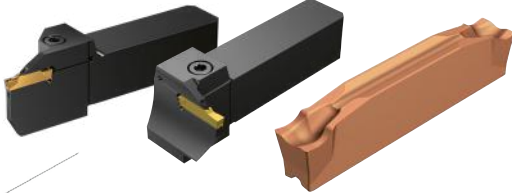




**5 PARTING OFF**

SANDVIK  
**CoroCut® 1-2**

Versatile radial and axial parting off.



WALTER  
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**WALTER MC128**

Optimised solution for CoCr materials,  
multi-flute concept enables high feed rates

**2 DRILLING**

SANDVIK  
**CoroDrill® 860-SD**

Highest performance and process reliability for nickel-  
and cobalt-based HRSA alloys, dia. **3.0–16.0 mm**

**CoroDrill® 860-SM**

Highest performance and process reliability for  
titanium-based alloys, dia. **3.0–16.0 mm**

**CoroDrill® 862-GM-X2BL**

Optimised multi-material drill, external coolant,  
dia. **0.3–3.0 mm**

**CoroDrill® 862-GM-X2BM**

Optimised multi-material drill, internal coolant,  
dia. **1.0–3.0 mm**



WALTER  
TITEX

**WALTER DC180**

Solid carbide drill with cooling channel,  
dia. **3.00–20.00 mm**

**WALTER DB133**

Solid carbide micro-drill with cooling channel,  
dia. **0.50–2.95 mm**



DC  
THREADING  
TECHNOLOGY

**DC Swiss GWI 5000**

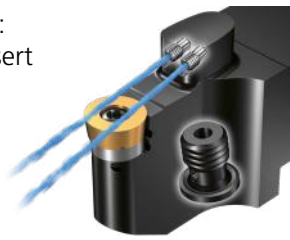
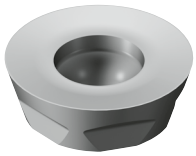
For completely burr-free threads,  
even in difficult-to-machine materials



## B Femoral head

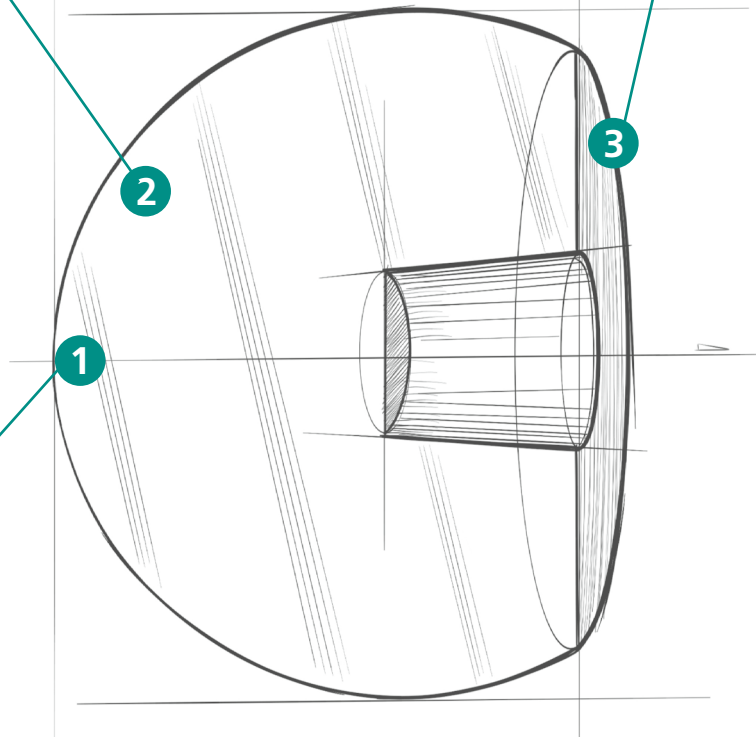
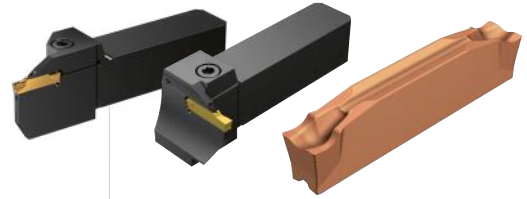
### 2 TURNING

SANDVIK  
**COROMANT**  
**Round Inserts 300**  
Pre-finishing/Finishing:  
with positive round insert



### 3 PARTING OFF

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Versatile radial and axial parting off



### 2 ROUGHING

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**COROMANT**  
**T-Max P**  
Use high-pressure cooling for chip control and process  
reliability



## 6 DRILLING

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**Coromant**

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### CoroDrill® 860-SM

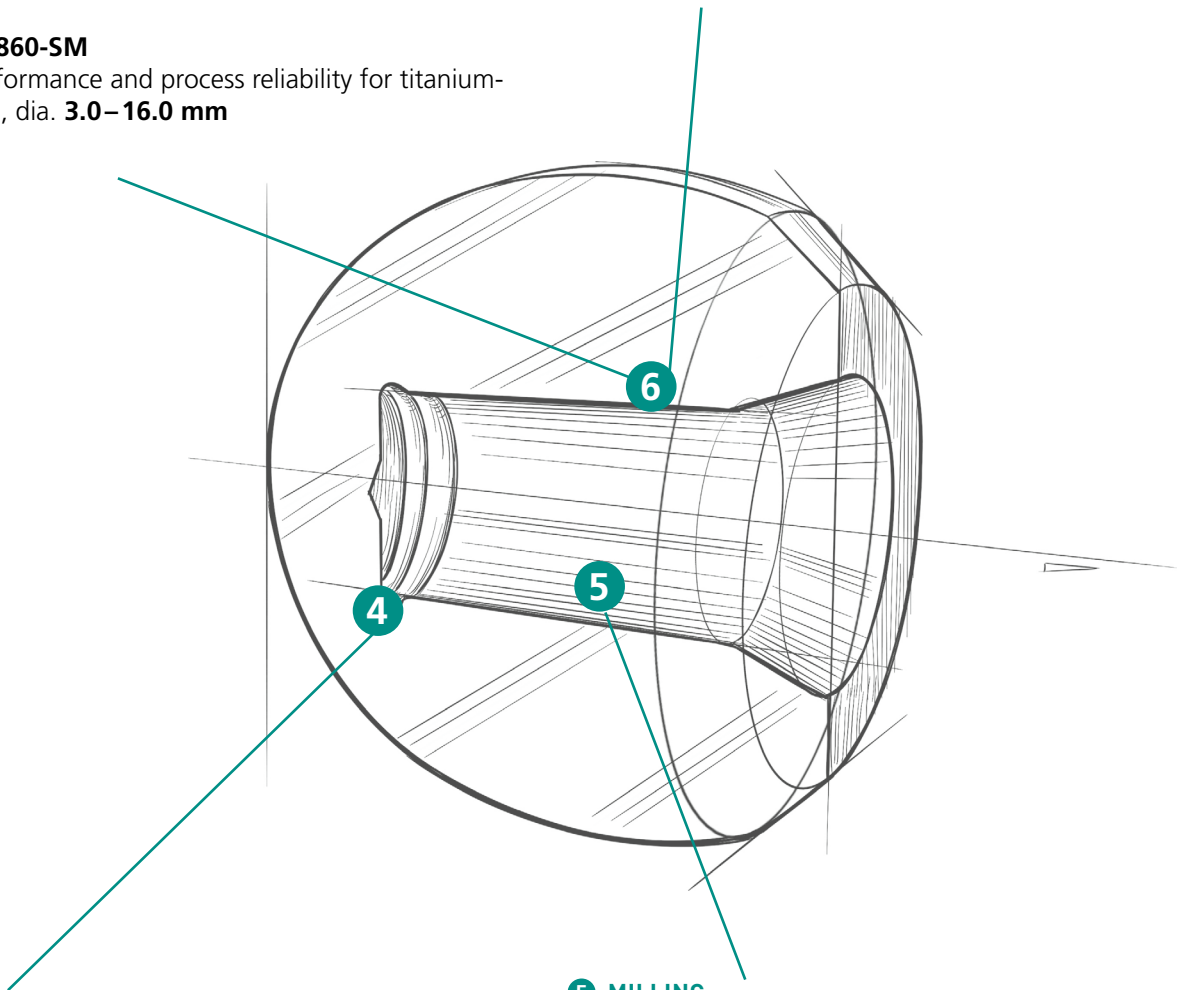
Highest performance and process reliability for titanium-based alloys, dia. **3.0–16.0 mm**



WALTER  
TITEX

### DC183 X-treme Evo 3

Maximum metal removal rate thanks to 3 cutting edges with innovative Krato tec™ multi-layer coating, dia. **3.0–16.0 mm**



## 4 INTERNAL TURNING

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### CoroTurn® XS Internal Turning

Diameters from 0.3 mm, longitudinal turning, parting & grooving and thread turning, tight tolerances



## 5 MILLING

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### CoroMill® Plura HFS

Optimised solution for dynamic milling of difficult-to-machine materials



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### MC128 Supreme WJ30RA

Optimised solution for dynamic milling of difficult-to-machine materials

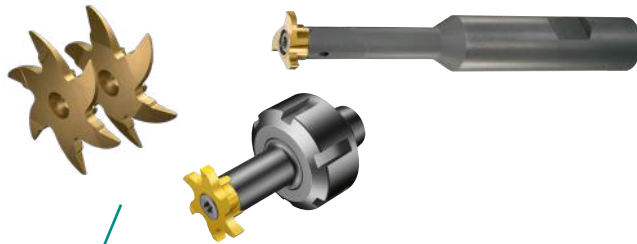


## C Hip stem / Bone rasp

### 1 MILLING

SANDVIK  
**Coromant**  
**CoroMill® 327**

Milling cutter, diameter: 9.7–34.7 mm



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### 2 MOULD MILLING

EMUGE  
FRANKEN

**FRANKEN Mould Cutter**

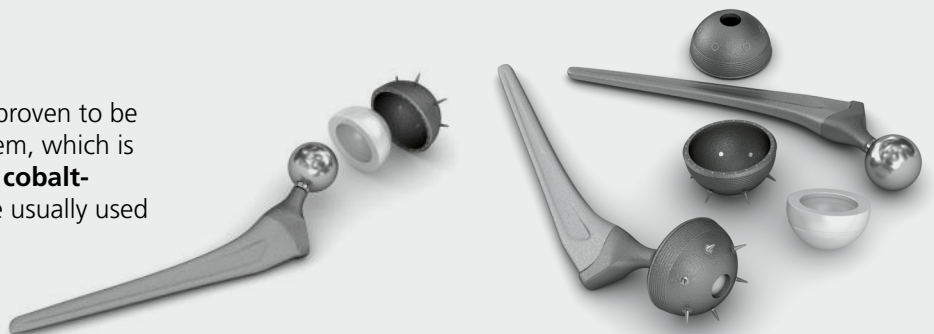
Special tool as per customer specification



### MATERIAL

#### Stainless steel according to ISO 5832-9

With the cementless variety, titanium has proven to be the material of choice for the prosthesis stem, which is anchored in the femur. **Stainless steel or cobalt-chromium-molybdenum prostheses** are usually used for the cemented variety.







## C Hip stem

### 2 MILLING

SANDVIK  
**Coromant**  
**CoroMill® Plura HFS**  
Optimised solution for dynamic milling  
of difficult-to-machine materials



### 3

### 3 PROFILE MILLING

AMUGE  
FRANKEN

**FRANKEN 2564**  
For difficult-to-machine materials



### 1 DRILLING

SANDVIK  
**Coromant**  
**CoroDrill® 860-SM**  
Highest performance and process reliability  
for titanium-based alloys, dia. **3.0–16.0 mm**



WALTER  
TITEX

**DC175 Supreme**  
With precision cooling, applied in aviation  
and medical technology, dia. **3.0–20.0 mm**



**3 PROFILE MILLING**

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**CoroMill® Plura ballnose**

Optimised solution for profile milling of difficult-to-machine materials

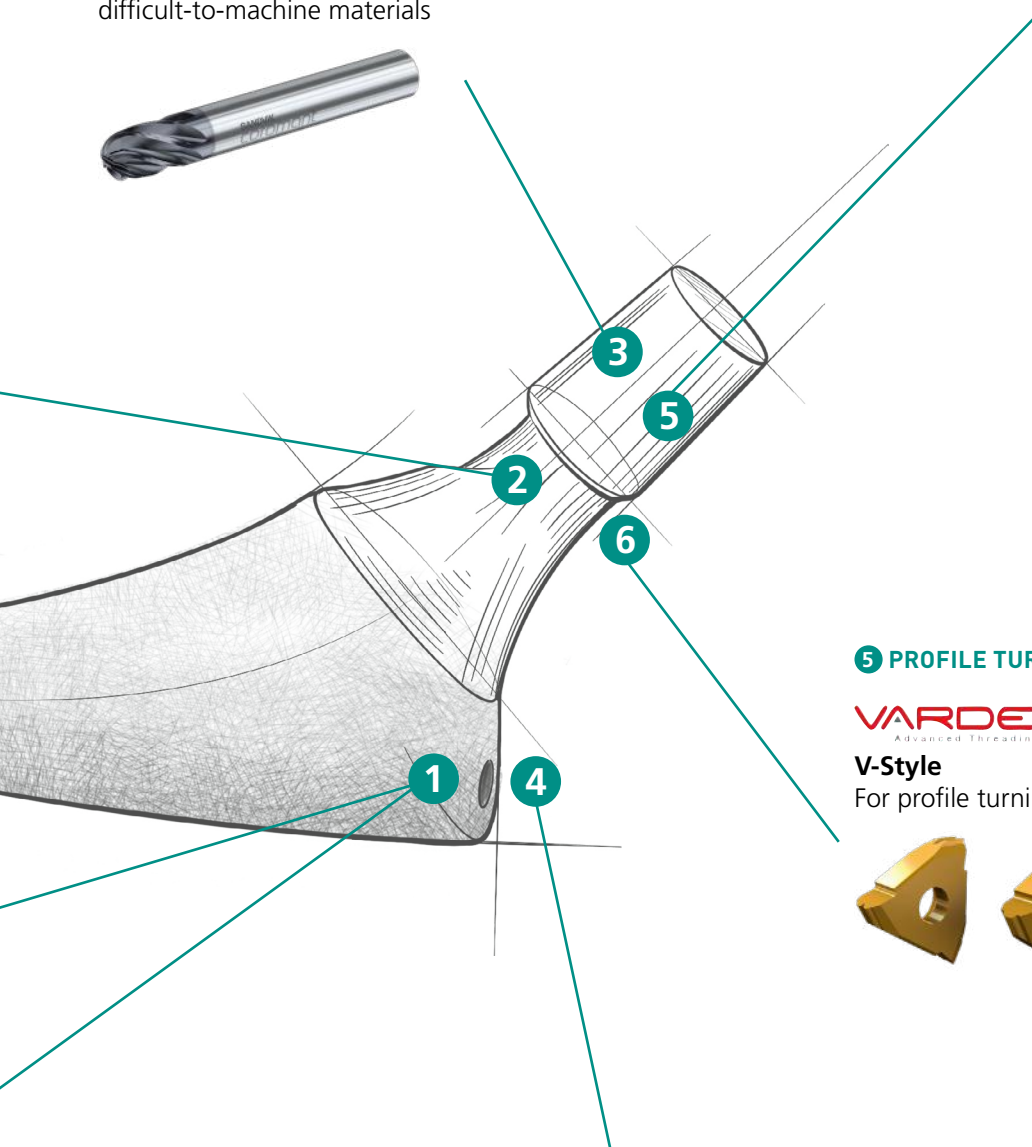
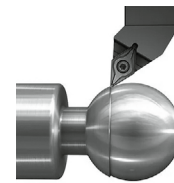


**5 PROFILE TURNING**

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**COROMANT**

**CoroTurn® TR**

High stability and accuracy for contour turning of difficult-to-machine materials

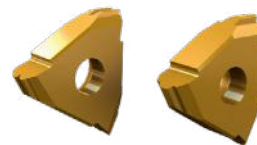


**5 PROFILE TURNING**

**VARDEX**  
Advanced Threading Solutions

**V-Style**

For profile turning of the cone



**5 THREADING**

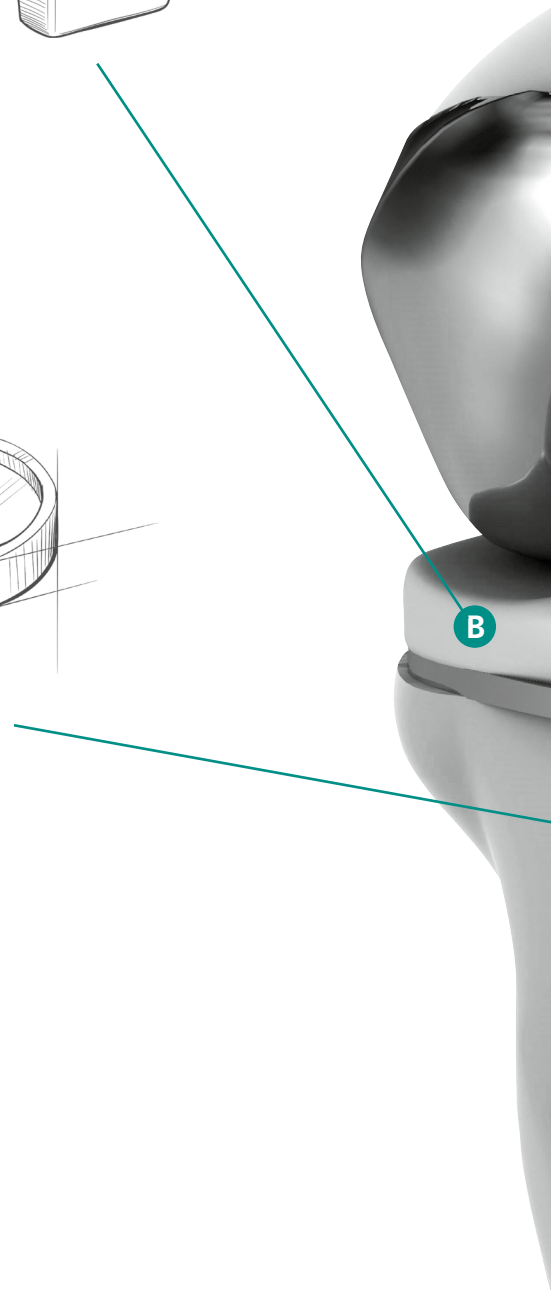
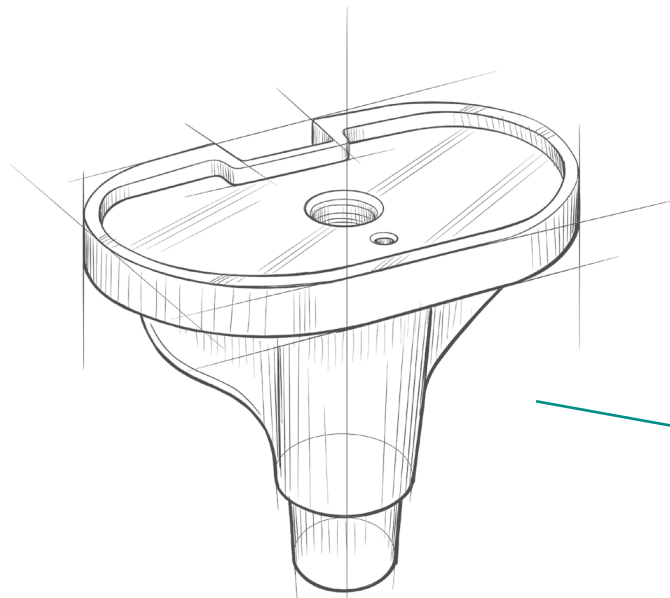
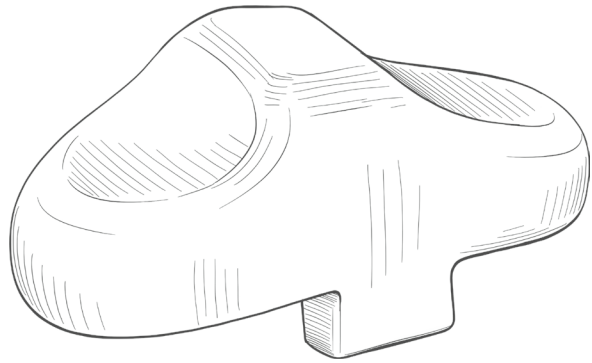
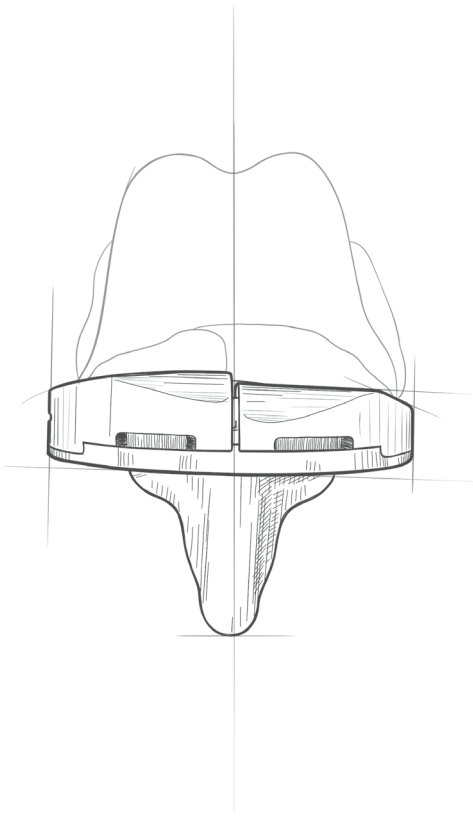
**DC** THREADING TECHNOLOGY

**SA390**

For special alloyed materials, nickel alloys with tensile strengths up to 1650 N/mm<sup>2</sup>



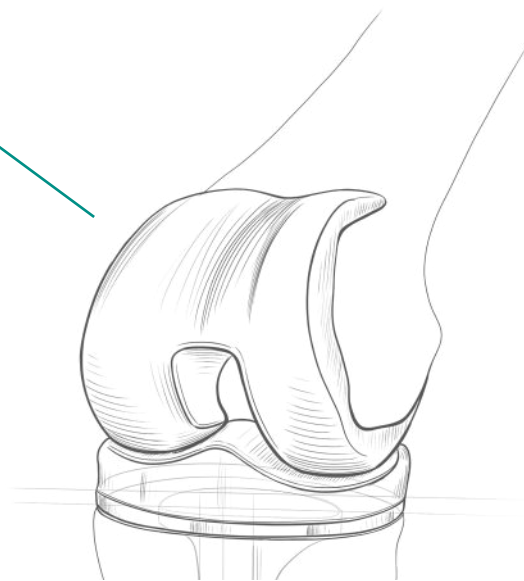
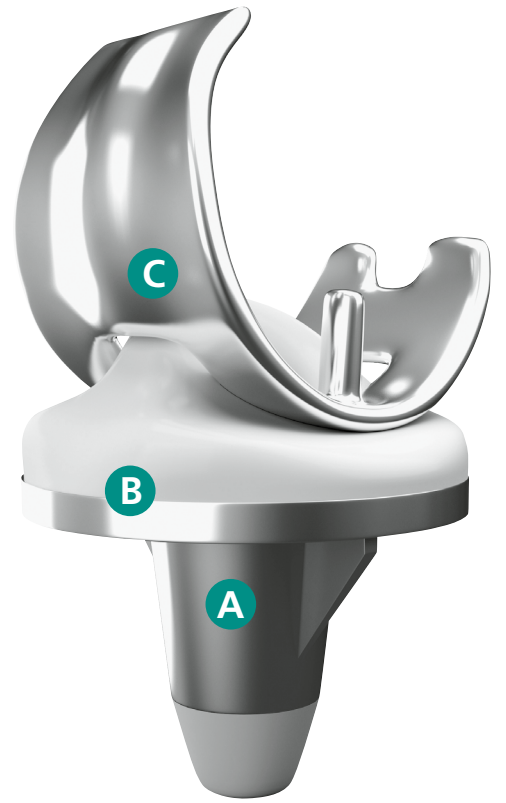
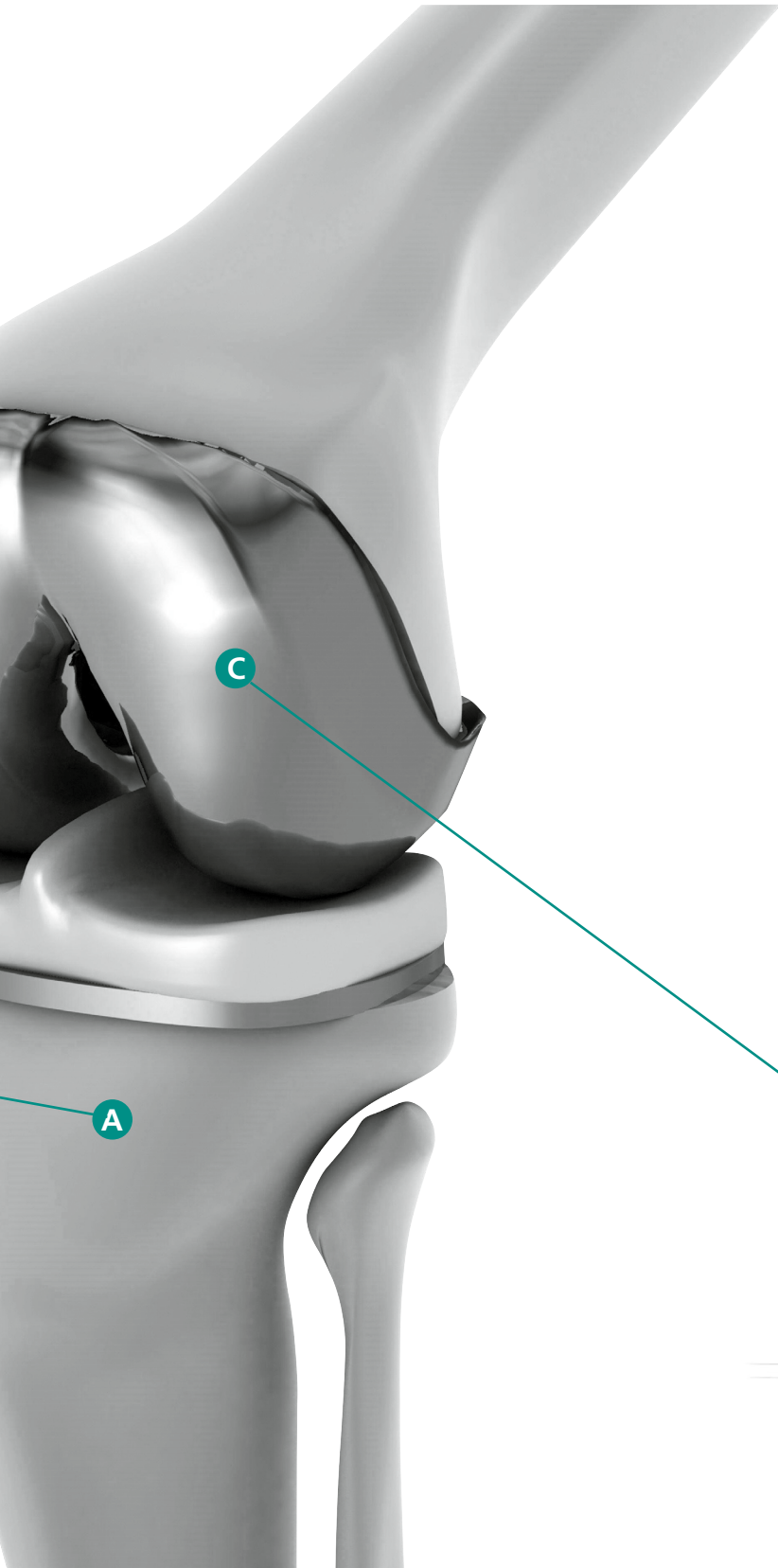
# Knee-joint machining



## Knee-joint implants comprise:

- A Tibial part:** The lower leg part of the implant, usually made of metal, which is attached to the top of the shinbone (tibia).
- B Knee joint spacer:** An insert or spacer, usually made of plastic, that lies between the tibial and femoral parts and acts as a buffer to allow smooth movement.
- C Femoral knee joint:** The thigh part of the implant, which is attached to the end of the thigh bone (femur). This part is usually made of metal and forms the upper joint surface of the knee joint.





## A Tibial part

### 1 MILLING EXTERNAL PROFILE

SANDVIK  
**Coromant**  
**CoroMill® Plura HD**  
Optimised solution for end-milling  
difficult-to-machine materials



### 3 MILLING EXTERNAL PROFILE

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**CoroMill® Plura HFS**  
Optimised solution for dynamic milling  
of difficult-to-machine materials

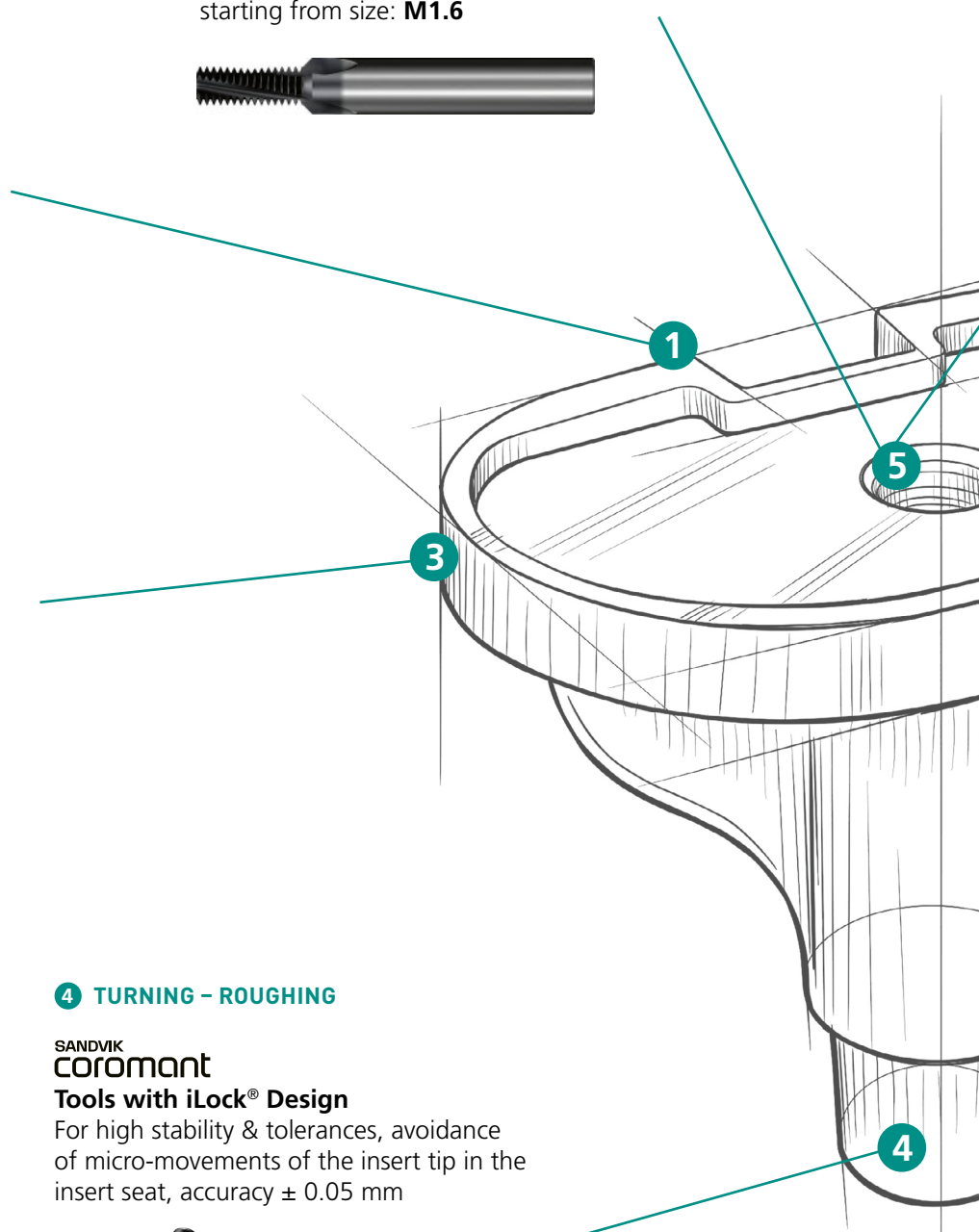


WALTER  
PROTOTYPE  
**MD128 Supreme WJ30RA**  
For excellent surfaces in difficult-to-  
machine materials



### 5 THREADING

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**Coromant**  
**CoroMill® Plura**  
Optimised multi-material thread-milling cutters,  
starting from size: **M1.6**



### 4 TURNING - ROUGHING

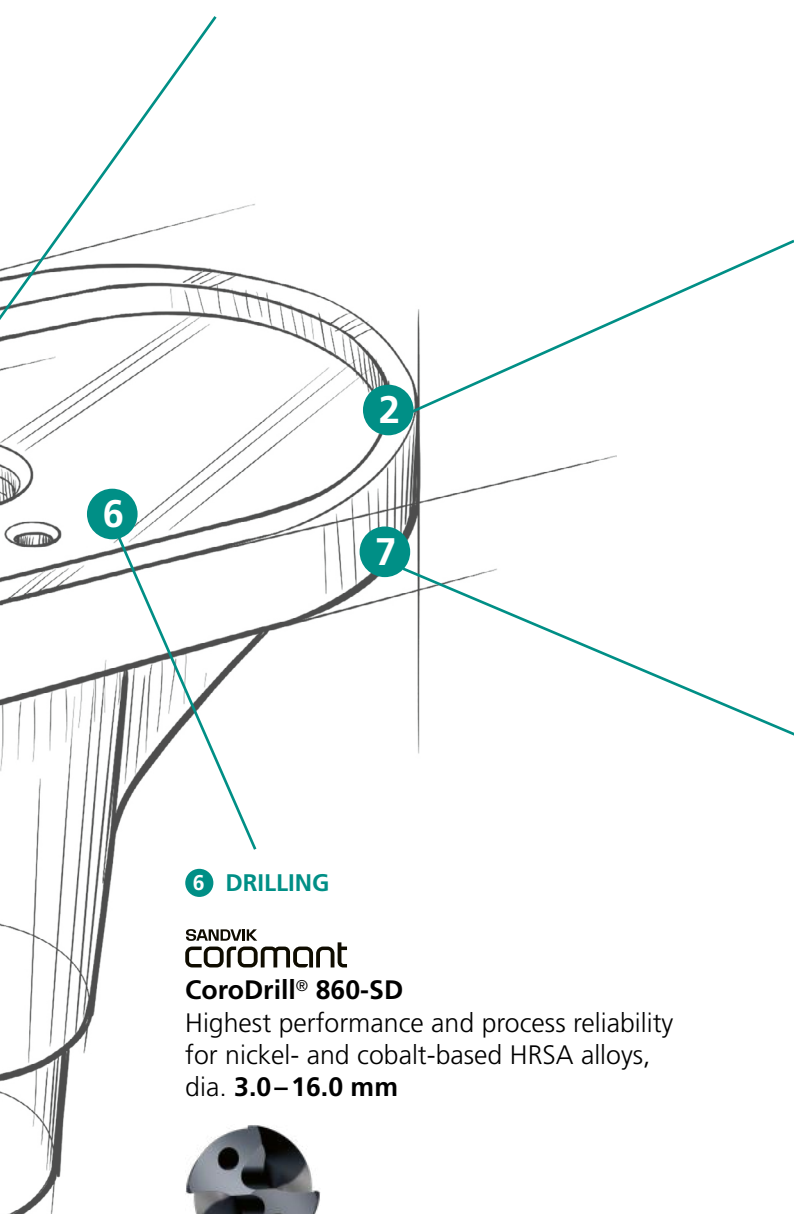
SANDVIK  
**Coromant**  
**Tools with iLock® Design**  
For high stability & tolerances, avoidance  
of micro-movements of the insert tip in the  
insert seat, accuracy  $\pm 0.05$  mm





**DC Swiss GWI 5000**

For completely burr-free threads, even in difficult-to-machine materials



**2 FACE MILLING**

SANDVIK  
**Coromant R215.H4**

More than double the feed rate per tooth compared to a normal end mill thanks to the specially developed geometry



**7 MILLING**

**GUHRING**

**G-Mold μ48 F**

High-precision finishing cutter G-Mold μ 48 F, for highest component accuracy



**6 DRILLING**

SANDVIK  
**CoroDrill® 860-SD**

Highest performance and process reliability for nickel- and cobalt-based HRSA alloys, dia. **3.0–16.0 mm**



**CoroDrill® 860-SM**

Highest performance and process reliability for titanium-based alloys, dia. **3.0–16.0 mm**



**BECK Drill-Reamer-Pyramid**

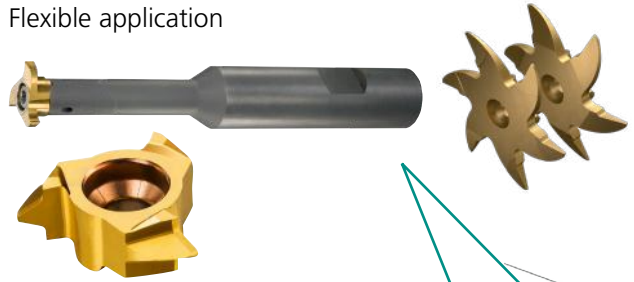
Drilling and reaming in a single work step, dia. **3.97–16.05 mm**



## A Tibial part

### 5 GROOVING, THREADING AND CHAMFERING

SANDVIK  
**Coromant**  
**CoroMill® 327**  
Flexible application



### 3 PROFILE MILLING

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**CoroMill® Plura ballnose**  
Optimised solution for profile milling of difficult-to-machine materials



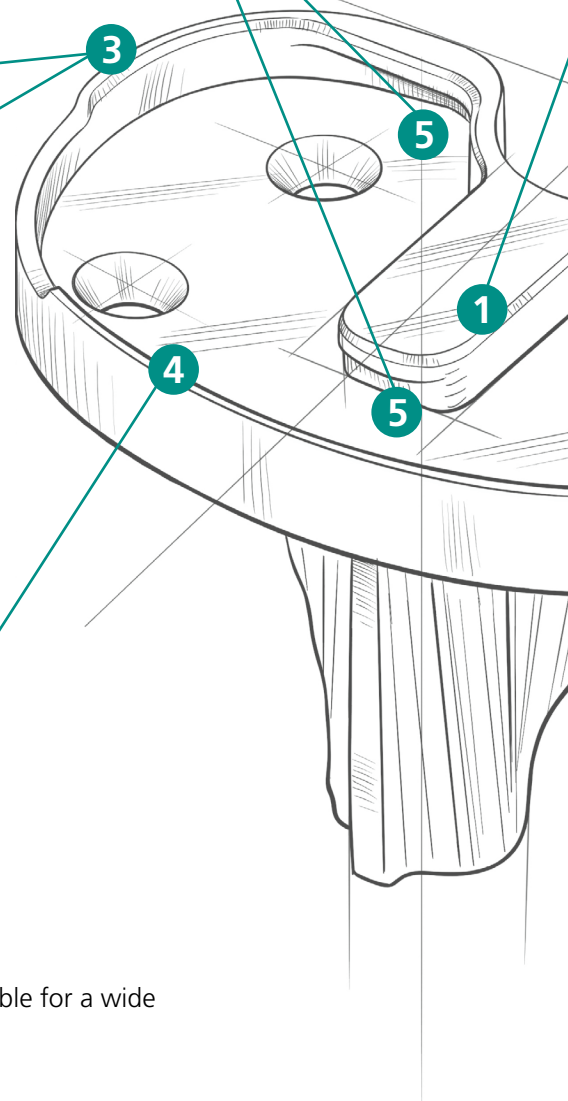
### GUHRING G-Mold 55 B

For profile milling of titanium and NiCo materials and other materials, dia. 1.0–12.0 mm



### 4 CHAMFERING

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**Coromant**  
**CoroMill® Plura 316**  
Geometry and grade suitable for a wide range of materials



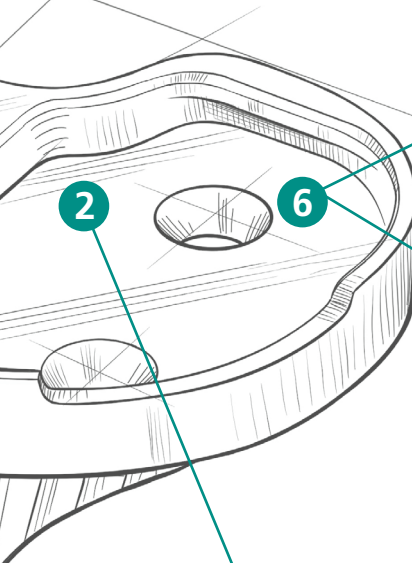


**1 FACE MILLING**SANDVIK  
**coromant****CoroMill® Plura HFS**

Optimised solution for dynamic milling of difficult-to-machine materials

**CoroMill® 345**

First choice for highly productive face milling

**2 FACE MILLING - FINISHING**SANDVIK  
**coromant****CoroMill® Plura HFS**

Optimised solution for dynamic milling of difficult-to-machine materials

DIXI  
polytool**Toric milling cutter DIXI 7070**

For finishing and milling NiCo materials, dia. 3.0–12.0 mm

**6 DRILLING**SANDVIK  
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Highest performance and process reliability for nickel- and cobalt-based HRSA alloys, dia. 3.0–16.0 mm

**CoroDrill® 860-SM**

Highest performance and process reliability for titanium-based alloys, dia. 3.0–16.0 mm

DIXI  
polytool**DIXI 1345HH**

High-performance drill for ISO-M/ISO-S material groups, dia. 3.0–16.0 mm



## B Knee-joint spacer

### 6 CHAMFERING

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**Coromant**  
**CoroMill® Plura 316**  
Geometry and grade suitable for a variety of materials 15°, 30°, 45°

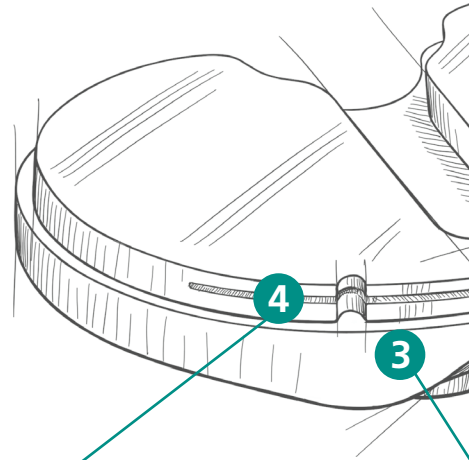
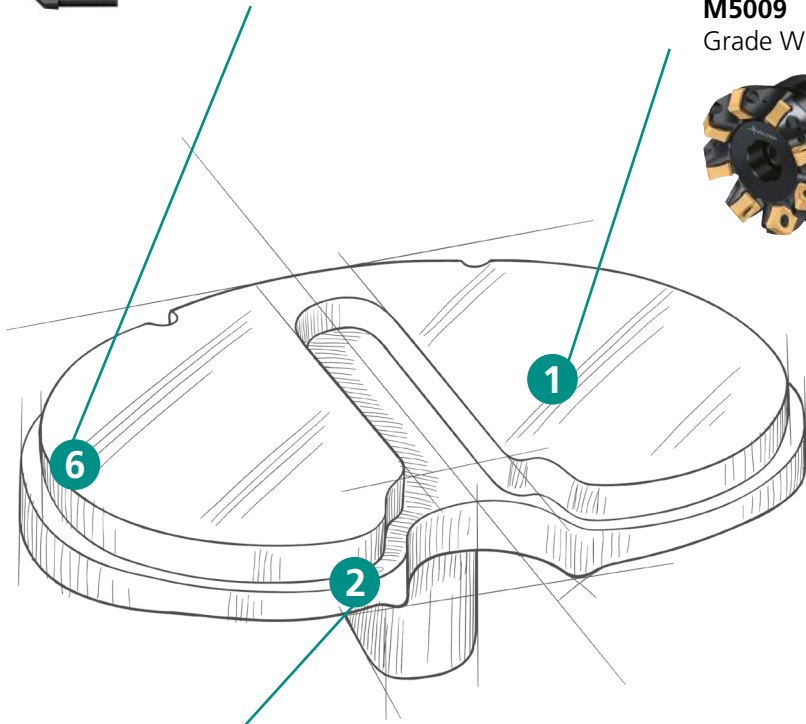


### 1 FACE MILLING

SANDVIK  
**Coromant**  
**CoroMill® 345**  
Optimised grades 2040/1040/S30T for face milling



WALTER  
**M5009**  
Grade WSM 35G



### 2 SHOULDER MILLING

DIXI  
polytool  
**DIXI 7520**  
For finish milling NiCo materials



### 4 GROOVING

SANDVIK  
**Coromant**  
**CoroMill® 327**  
Flexible application, grooves, threads and chamfers



**7 PROFILE MILLING**

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**Coromant**

**CoroMill® Plura ballnose**

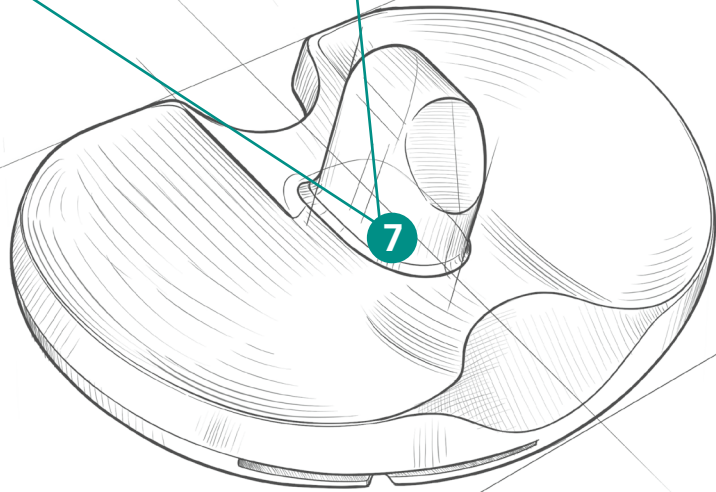
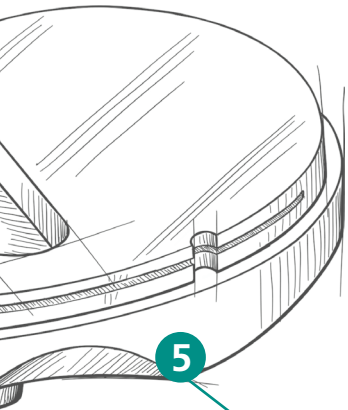
Optimised solution for profile milling of difficult-to-machine materials



WALTER  
PROTOTYP

**MD839 RA Supreme**

For efficient profile milling of ISO-M and ISO-S materials



**5 SHOULDER AND PROFILE MICRO-MILLING**

SANDVIK  
**Coromant**  
**CoroMill® Plura**



**3 SHOULDER MILLING**

SANDVIK  
**Coromant**

**CoroMill® Plura HFS**

Optimised solution for dynamic milling of difficult-to-machine materials



## B Knee-joint spacer

### 1 PRE-CONTOURING - ROUGHING

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**Coromant**  
**CoroMill® 216**

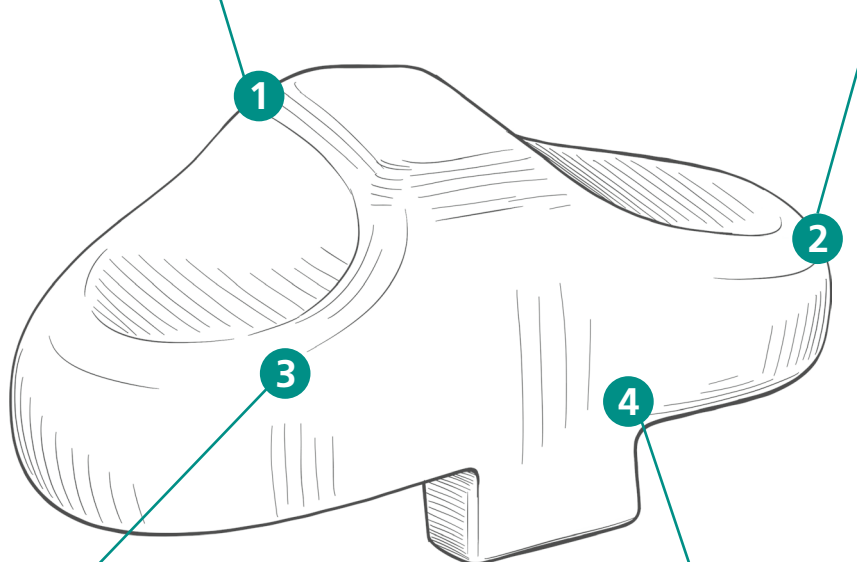
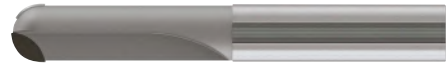
Roughing profile milling of curved surfaces



### 2 MILLING

**DIXI**  
polytool

**PCD / CVD / MCD-tipped milling cutters**  
**Monocrystalline**  
diamond ball end mill, for final processing  
of the tibial inlay



### 3 PRE-CONTOURING - ROUGHING

**DIXI**  
polytool

**DIXI 7565-FC**

Toric milling cutter with internal cooling, dia. 6–20 mm



### 4 MILLING

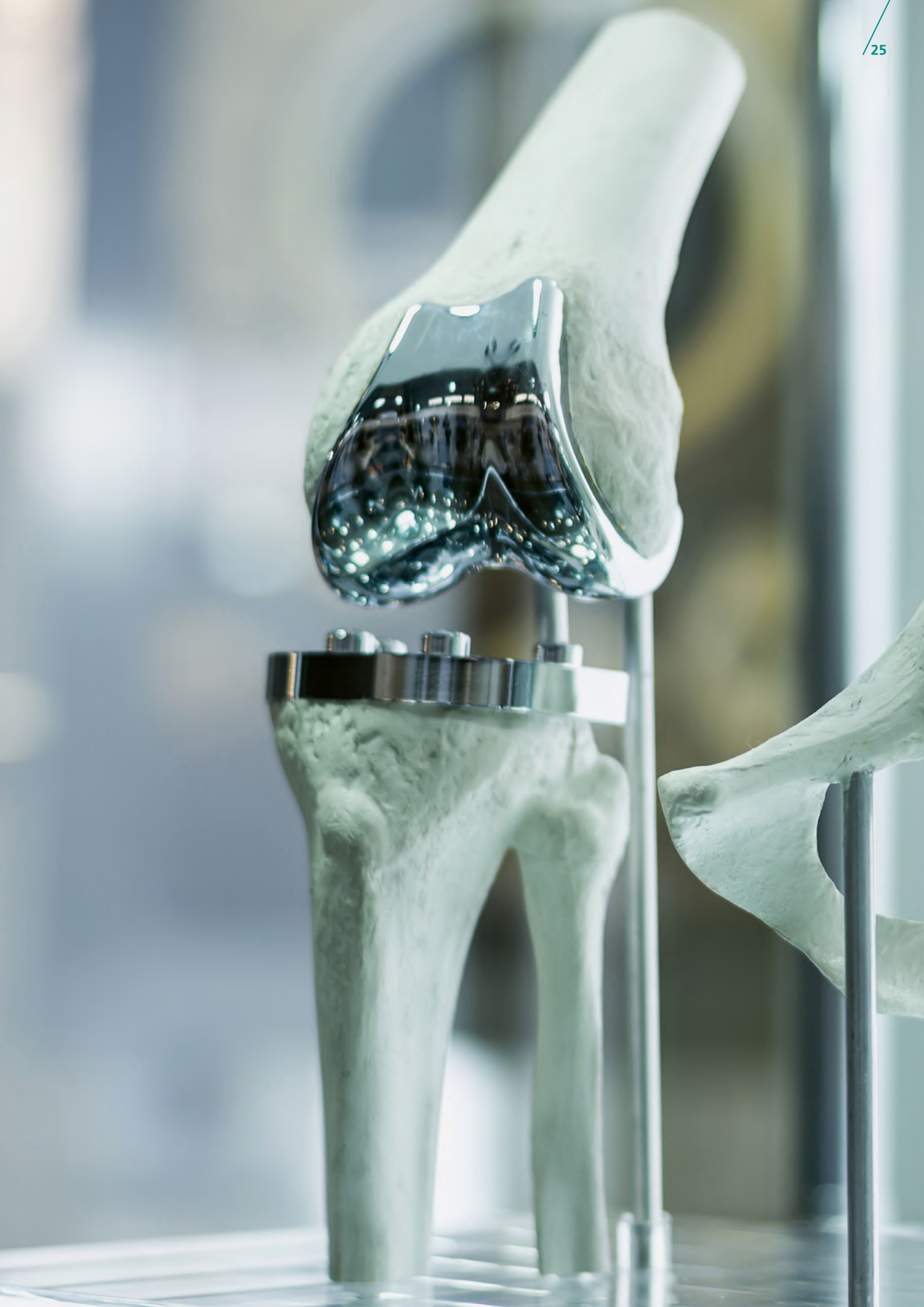
**DIXI**  
polytool

**DIXI 7561 / 7305 / 7315 / 7306 / 7307**

Single-tooth end mill, dia. 1.0–12.0 mm







## C Femoral knee joint

### 1 MILLING

SANDVIK  
**Coromant**

**CoroMill® Plura HFS**

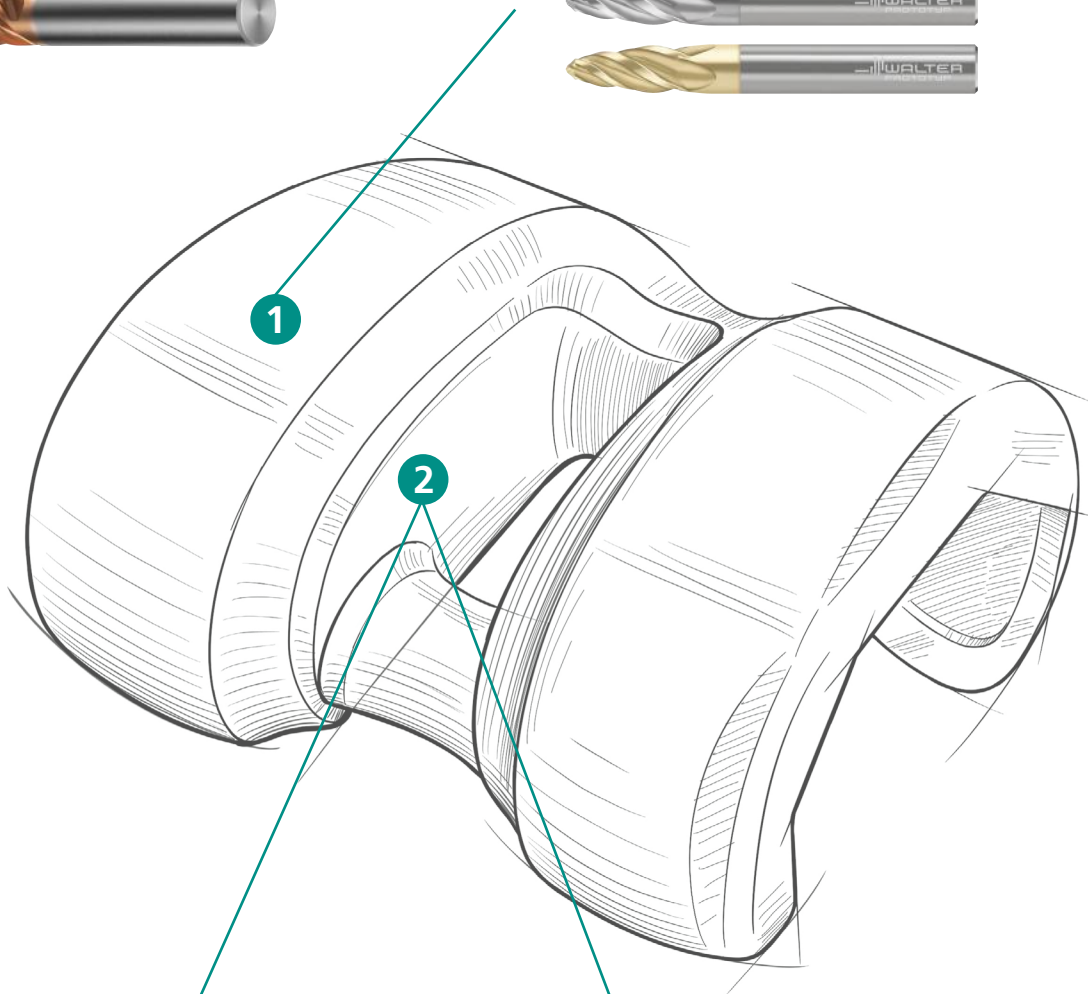
Optimised solution for dynamic milling of difficult-to-machine materials



WALTER  
PROTOTYP

**MD839 RA Supreme**

For efficient profile milling of ISO-M and ISO-S materials



### 2 PROFILE MILLING

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**Coromant**

**CoroMill® Plura ballnose**

Finishing, optimised solution for profile milling of difficult-to-machine materials

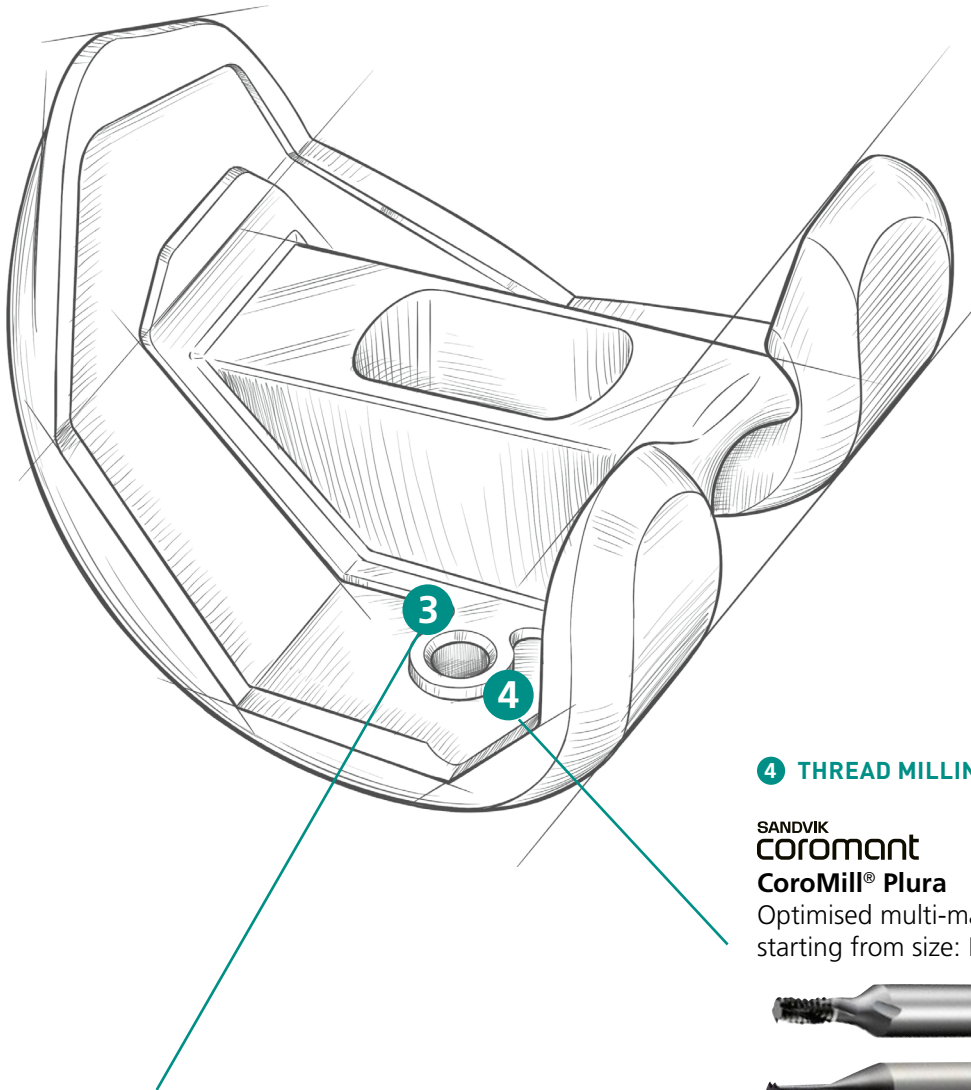


EMUGE  
FRANKEN

**Carbide ball nose end mill 2834A**

Finish milling cutter for hard milling with at least 4 cutting edges or 4 flutes





### 3 DRILLING AND FINISH-REAMING

SANDVIK  
**Coromant**  
**CoroDrill® 862-GM-X2BL**

Optimised multi-material drill, external coolant,  
dia. **0.3–3.0 mm**



**BECK**  
MAPAL GROUP

**BECK HNC-VA/HNC-TI**

Outstanding accuracy and surface quality in ISO-M  
and ISO-S materials



### 4 THREAD MILLING

SANDVIK  
**Coromant**  
**CoroMill® Plura**

Optimised multi-material thread milling cutter,  
starting from size: **M1.6**



**CoroMill® 326**

Optimised multi-material thread milling cutter,  
starting from size: **M7**



**DC** THREADING  
TECHNOLOGY

**GWI 5000**

For completely burr-free threads, even in  
difficult-to-machine materials, dia. **M1.4–M6**

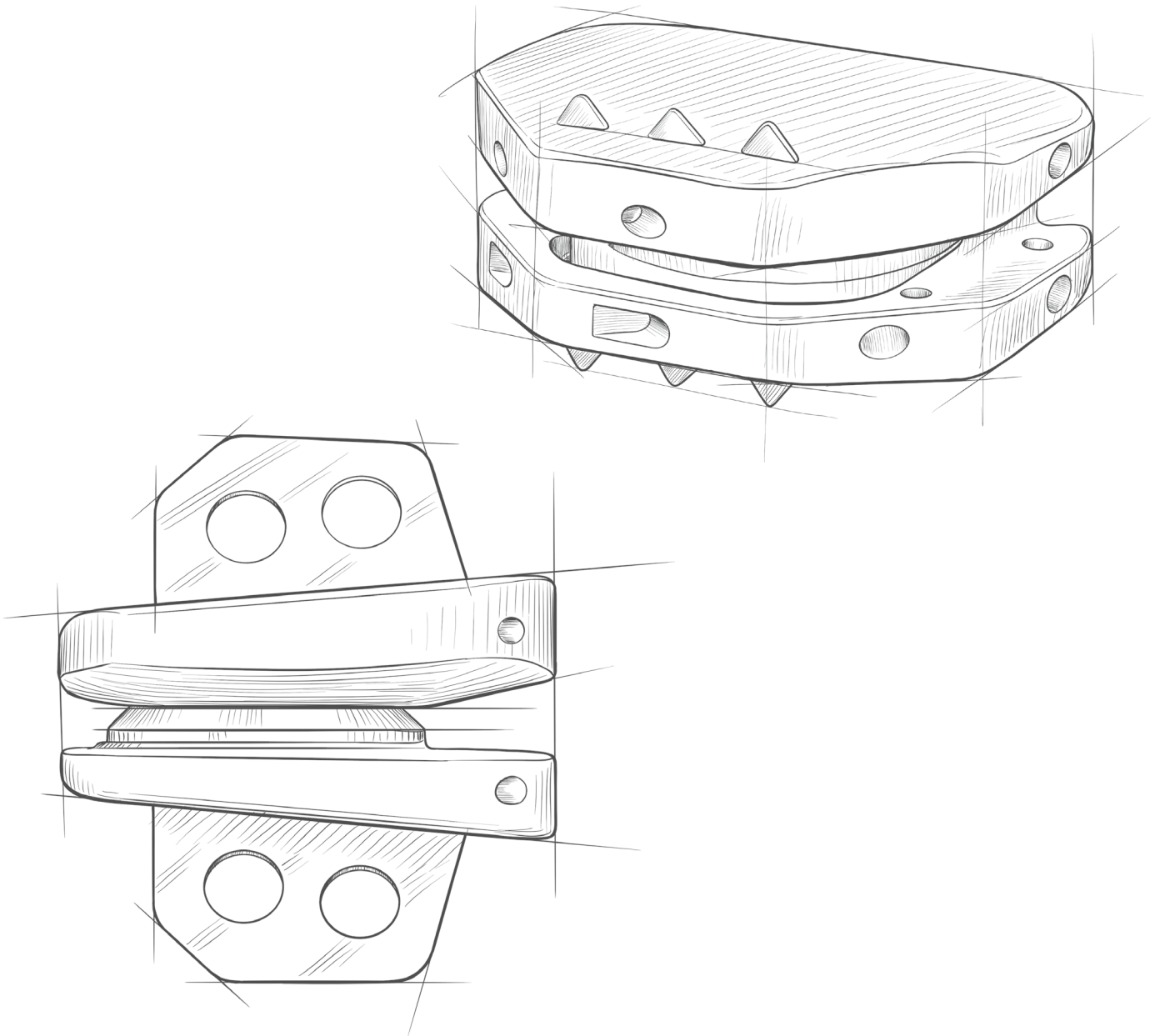


**GWI 3000**

For optimised chip removal, dia. **M1.4–M20**



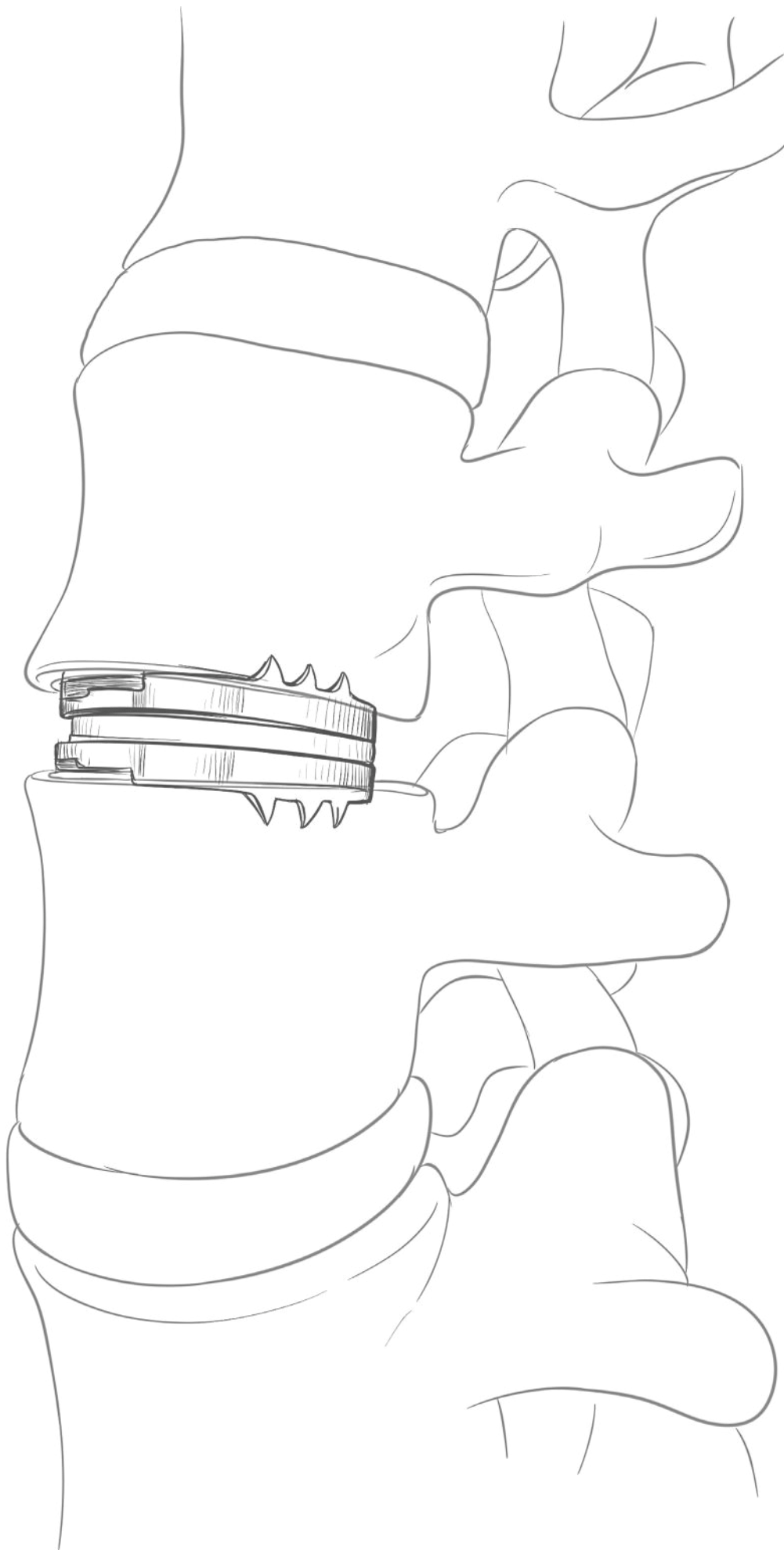
# Disc prosthesis



## MATERIALS

- The artificial disc consists of two metal plates.
- **Titanium** or a **mixture of cobalt and chromium-molybdenum** is used for these plates.
- The plates are coated with a titanium alloy.
- The rough surface allows the prosthesis to fuse with the adjacent vertebral bodies.
- A polyethylene or metal core is located between the metal plates. This core can be imagined as halved spheres between the plates. This shape ensures the movement of the disc prosthesis.

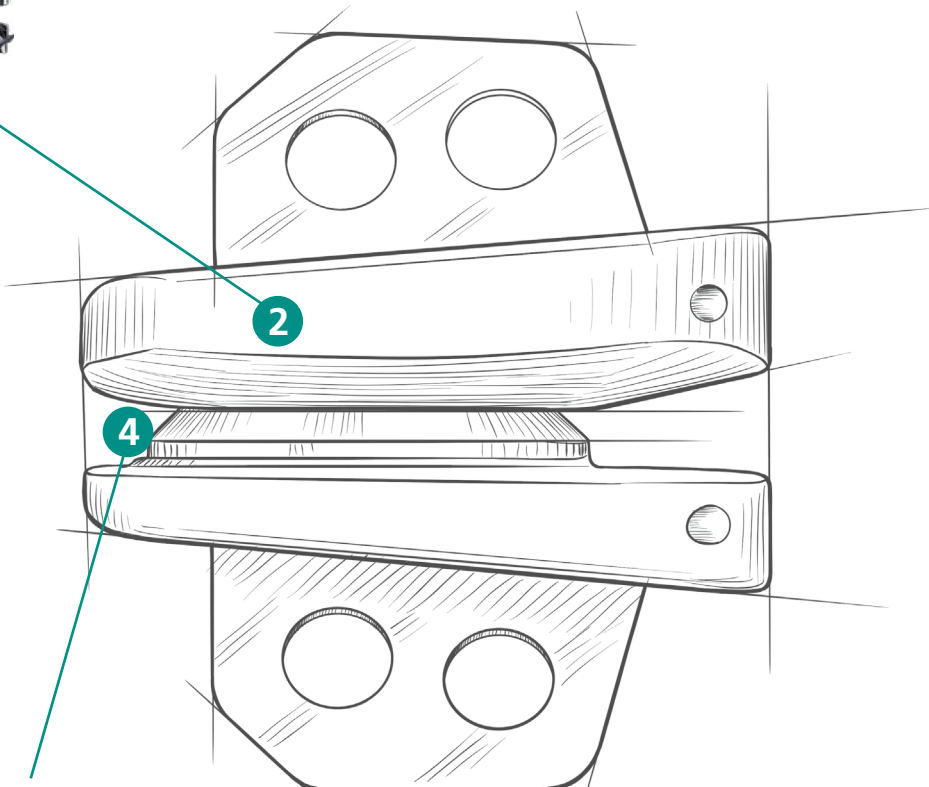




# Disc prosthesis

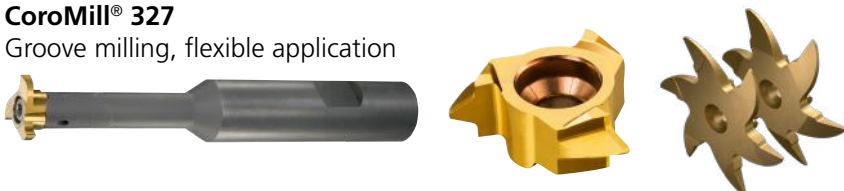
## 2 MILLING

SANDVIK  
**Coromant**  
**CoroMill® Plura HFS Titanium**  
6-flutes solution optimised for machining of titanium alloys



## 4 GROOVING, THREADING AND CHAMFERING

SANDVIK  
**Coromant**  
**CoroMill® 327**  
Groove milling, flexible application



## 3 MICROMACHINING

### **GUHRING**

#### **RF100 Mikrodiver**

Optimum chip removal thanks to peripheral cooling, dia. **0.5–3.0 mm**, **R 0.05-R0.5**

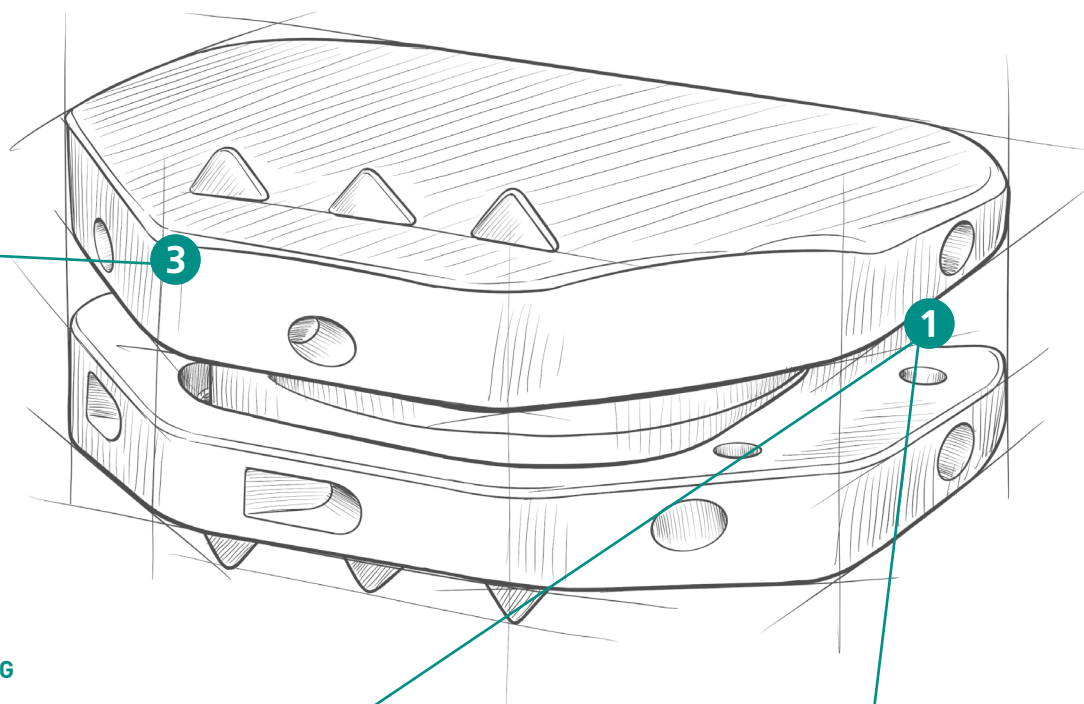


### **DIXI** polytool

#### **7532 XIDUR**

XIDUR coating improves tool life even at high temperatures in difficult-to-machine materials





## 1 DRILLING

### SANDVIK COROMANT CoroDrill® 860-SD

Highest performance and process reliability for nickel- and cobalt-based HRSA alloys, dia. **3.0–16.0 mm**



### CoroDrill® 860-SM

Highest performance and process reliability for titanium-based alloys, dia. **3.0–16.0 mm**



### CoroDrill® 862-GM-X2BL

Optimised multi-material drill, without internal coolant, dia. **0.3–3.0 mm**



### CoroDrill® 862-GM-X2BM

Optimised multi-material drill, with internal coolant, dia. **1.0–3.0 mm**



### DIXI polytool

### DIXI 1145-HH TiAlN

High-performance tool with internal coolant, dia. **0.8–14.0 mm**



### DIXI 1280 XIDUR

For difficult-to-machine materials up to 65 HRC, dia. **0.25–12.0 mm**



## Bone plates

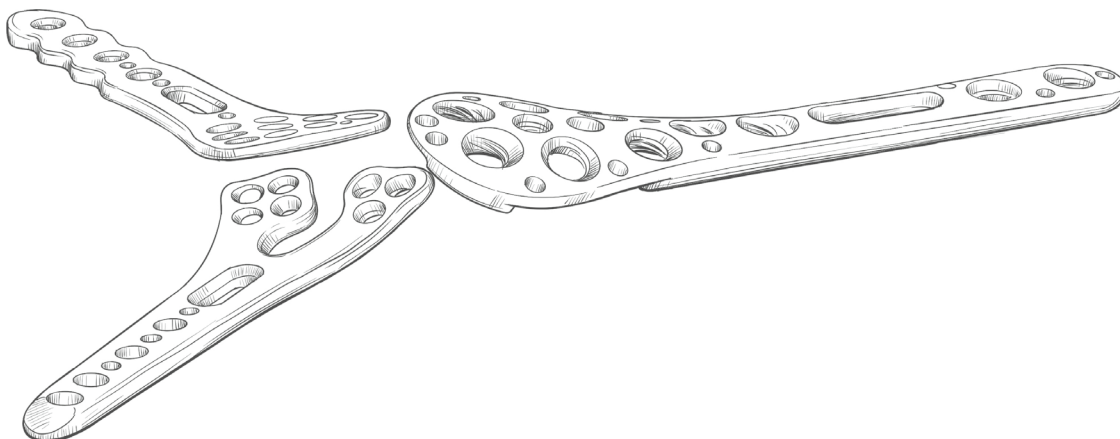
**Component material:** alloyed titanium grade 5/23 (3.7165).

Titanium is the main material for trauma implants thanks to its low allergy risk and excellent biocompatibility.

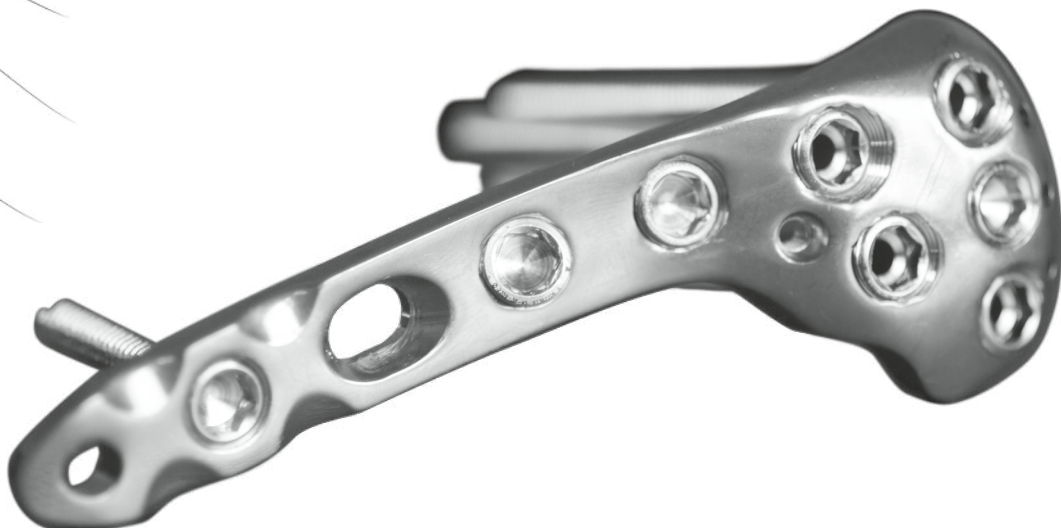
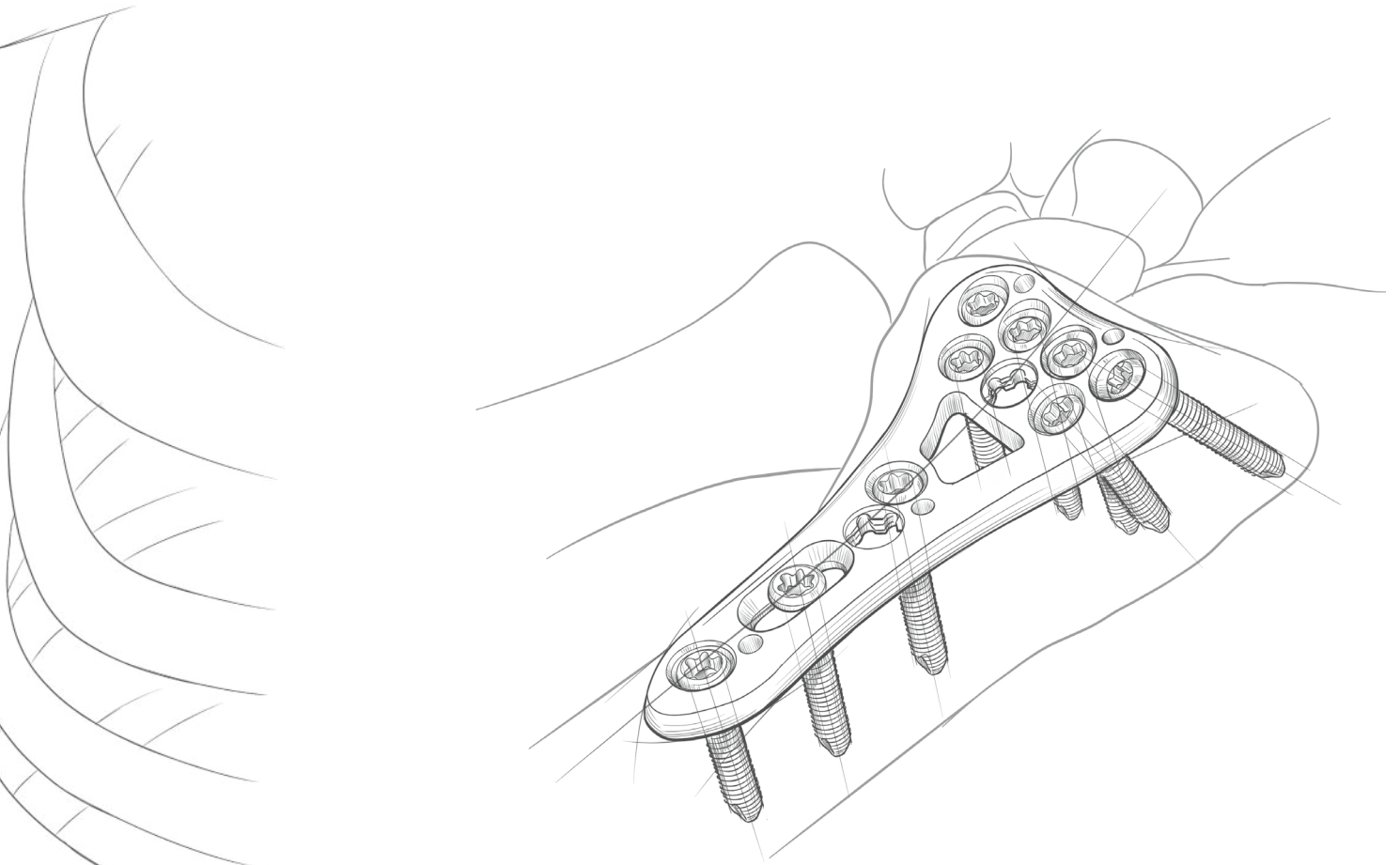
**Optimum chip removal** is a key criterion for tools used in titanium machining.

The most important requirement is a **closed surface** in which no germs and bacteria can accumulate. This is typically achieved by **polishing**. The best possible surface quality after machining is therefore crucial for the subsequent polishing process.

The service life of an implant in the body largely depends on its dimensional precision and surface quality.







# Bone plates

## 1 DRILLING



### ISCAR SUMOCHAM

Replaceable head drilling system with internal coolant, from dia. **4.00 mm**



### WALTER DC180

Solid carbide drill with cooling channel, dia. **3.00–20.00 mm**



## 4 PROFILE MILLING

### SANDVIK COROMANT

#### CoroMill® Plura / CoroMill® 316

Ball nose end mill/profile cutter, 6-flutes solution optimised for machining titanium alloys

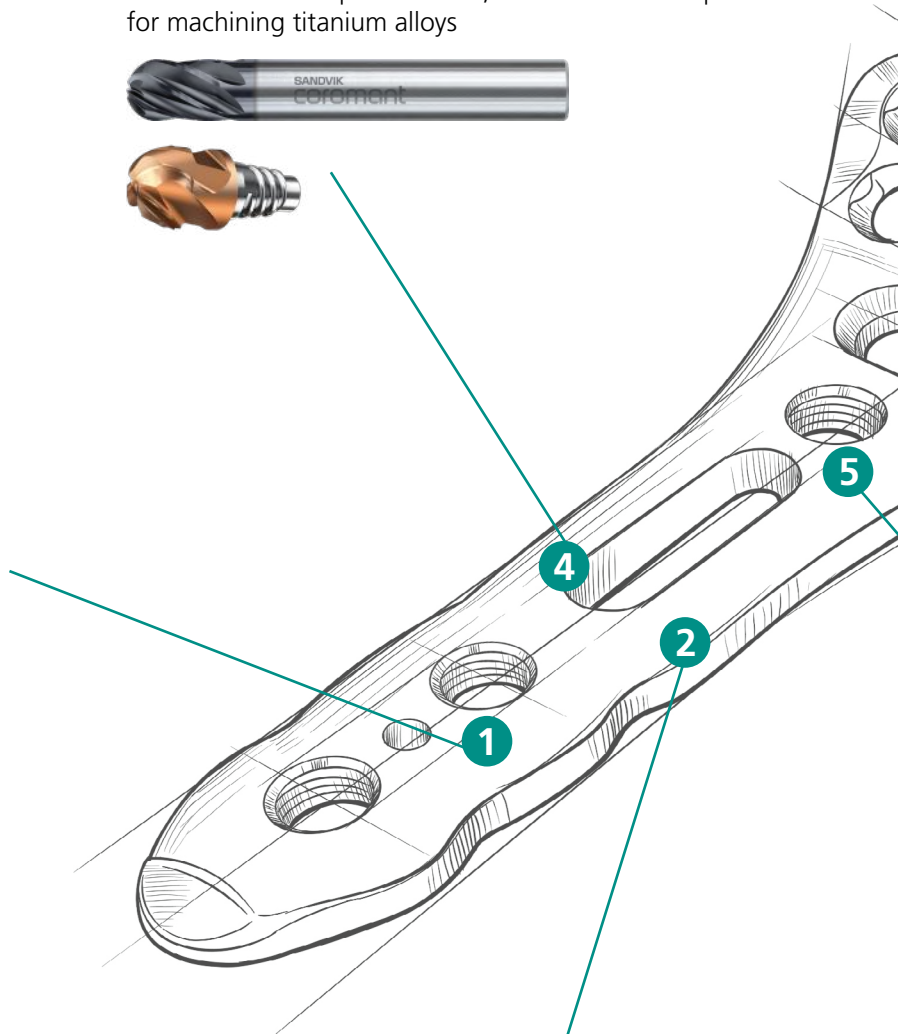


## 2 MILLING

### SANDVIK COROMANT

#### CoroMill® Plura HFS Titanium

6-flutes solution optimised for machining of titanium alloys



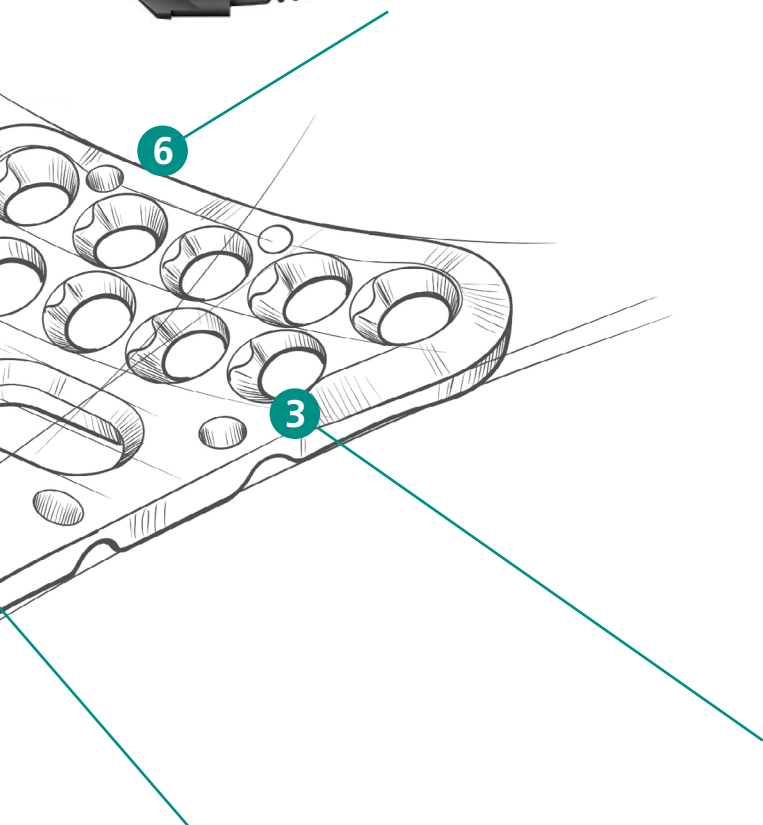
3 MILLING

SANDVIK  
**Coromant**  
**CoroMill® 316**  
For milling



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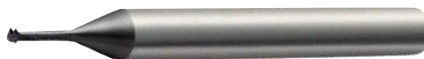
**Magafor 8550H 848H**  
For milling small radii, R0.1 – R1.0,  
for ISO-M and ISO-S materials



3 THREAD MILLING

SANDVIK  
**Coromant**  
**CoroMill® 326**

Optimised multi-material thread milling cutter,  
starting from size: **M1.6**



**CoroMill® 326**

Optimised multi-material thread milling cutters,  
starting from size: **M7**



5 MICROMACHINING

SANDVIK  
**Coromant**  
**CoroMill® Plura**

Shoulder and ball nose end mills  
for materials with hardness  $\leq 63$  HRC



 **DIXI**  
polytool

**DIXI 7343 7353**

Shoulder and toric micro end mill for titanium  
and NiCo alloys, dia. **0.3 – 12.0 mm**



 **WALTER**

**TC630**

Orbital thread milling cutter **M1.6 to M20**,  
all ISO materials up to 48 HRC,  
with DeVibe anti-vibration technology



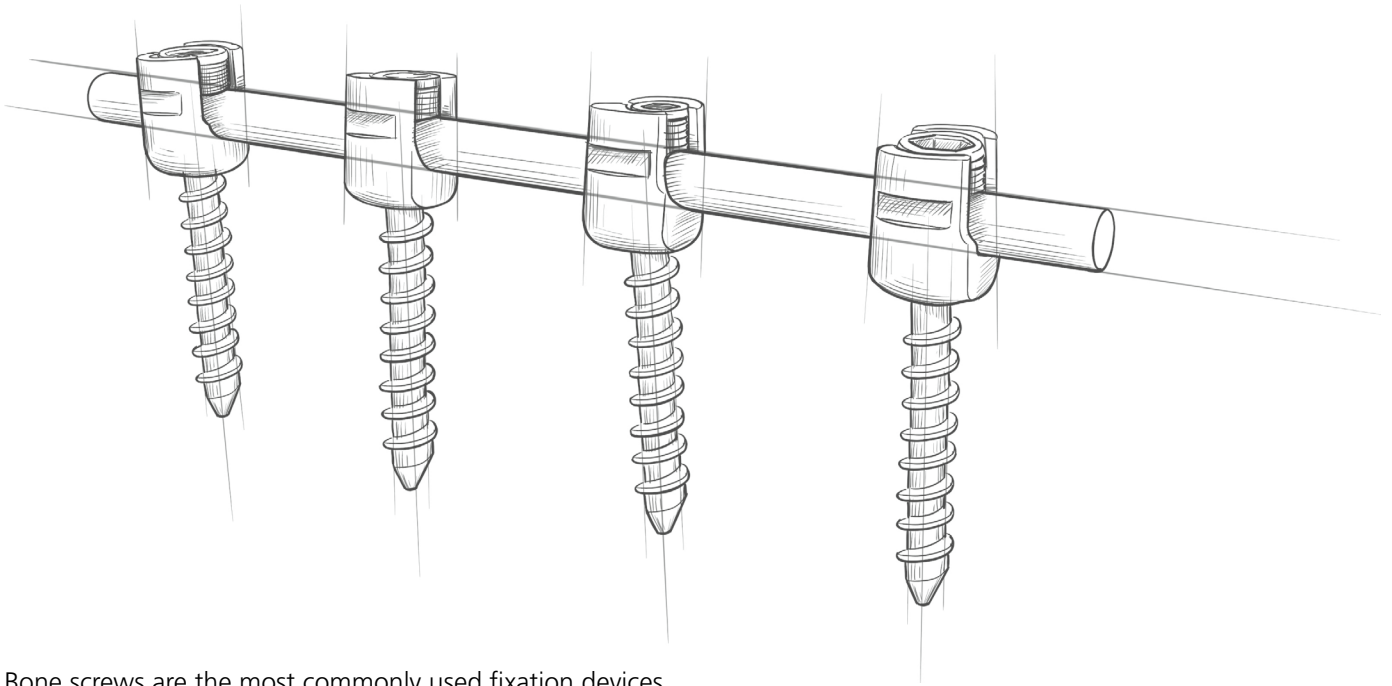
 **DC**  
THREADING  
TECHNOLOGY

**GW15000**

For pure titanium and titanium alloys



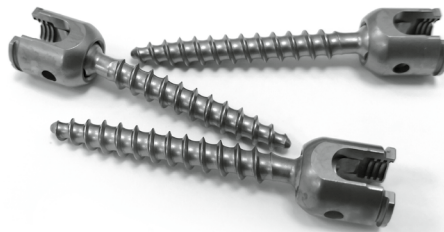
# Bone screws



Bone screws are the most commonly used fixation devices. They are usually the only 'hardware' in reparative or reconstructive surgery. More commonly, they are used with other hardware devices, particularly plates, to fixate the associated device to bone.

### Facts and component characteristics

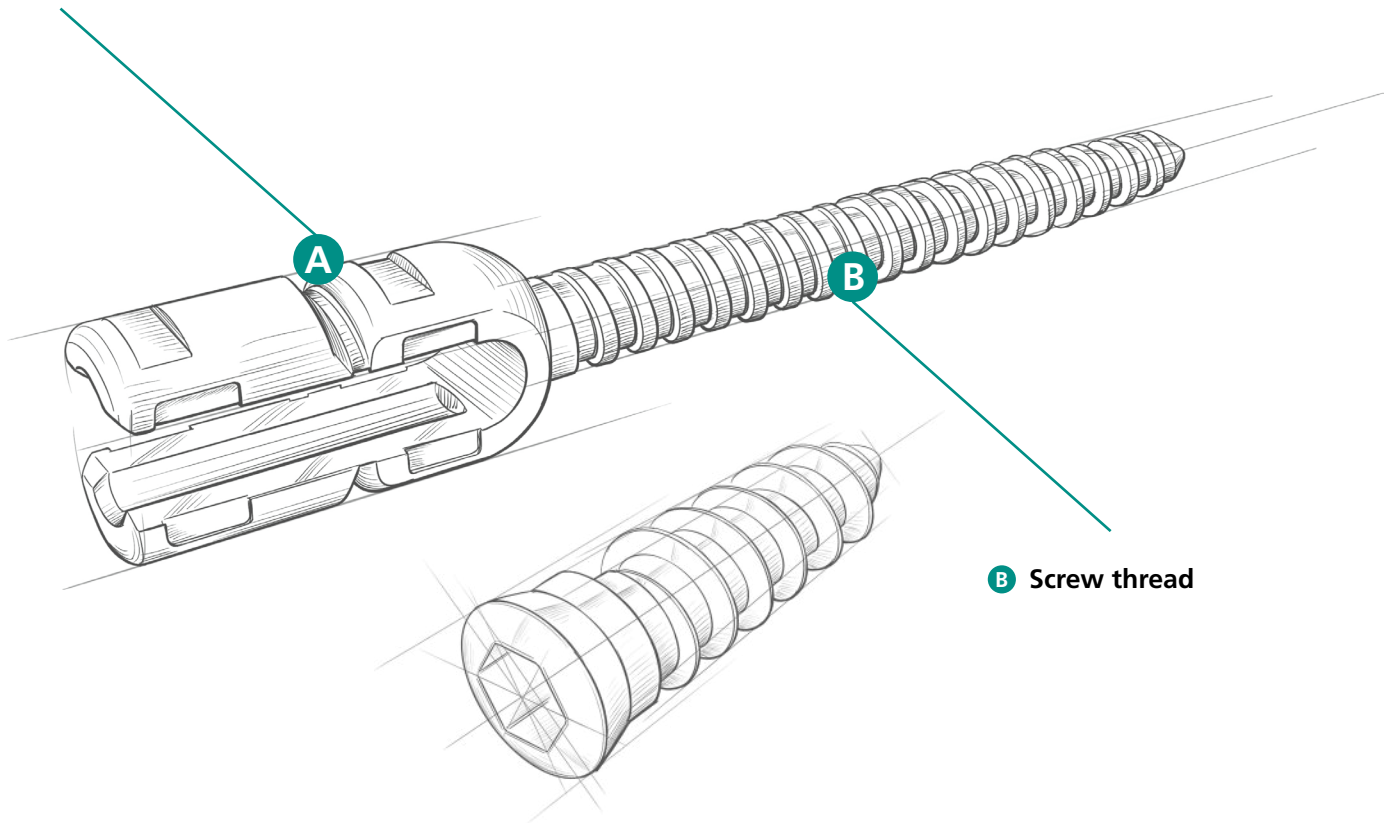
The bone screw bar (diameter commonly 4 to 12 mm (0.157 to 0.472 inch) is usually made of **titanium (Ti6Al4V ELI)** or **stainless steel (316LVM)**.



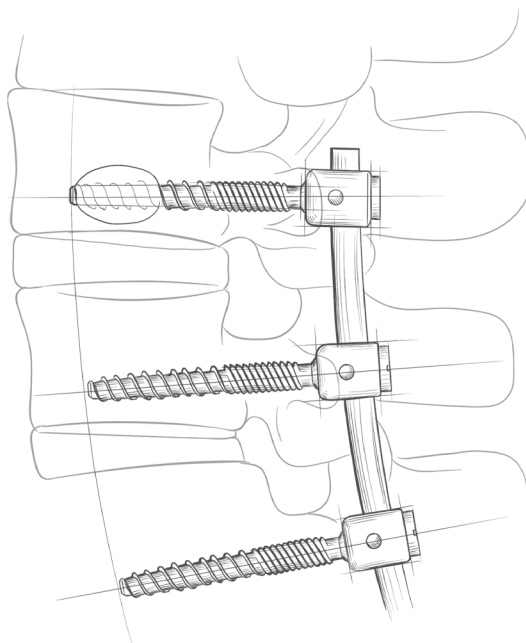
### PROPERTIES

- Long slender components, many different sizes
- Fixturing is challenging with the secondary spindle
- Batch production generally from 30 to over 1000 units
- Threads machined by whirling. Critical operation

**A Tulip head**



**B Screw thread**



**Plain turning Swissmachining**

Bone screw  
dia. 4 × 20 mm, titanium

Monoaxial screw  
dia. 16 × 70 mm, titanium

Locating screw  
dia. 4 × 120 mm, titanium



# A Tulip head

## 1 EXTERNAL TURNING

**SANDVIK**  
**Coromant**  
**QS-HP-System**

With external turning, the QS-HP system ensures fast clamping, high surface quality, excellent chip control and a very long tool life.



**APPLITEC**  
SWISS TOOLING

**MODU-LINE**

Modular system with precise repositioning and automatic axial thrust



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## 5 DRILLING

**SANDVIK**  
**Coromant**  
**CoroDrill® 862-GM-X2BL**

Optimised multi-material drill, external coolant, dia. 0.3–3.0 mm



**CoroDrill® 862-GM-X2BM**

Optimised multi-material drill, internal coolant, dia. 1.0–3.0 mm



**DIXI**  
polytool

**DIXI 1151 SPIRAL DRILL WITH 3 BLADES**

For the production of precise holes with excellent roundness and straightness, for titanium alloys, dia. 1.0–14.0 mm



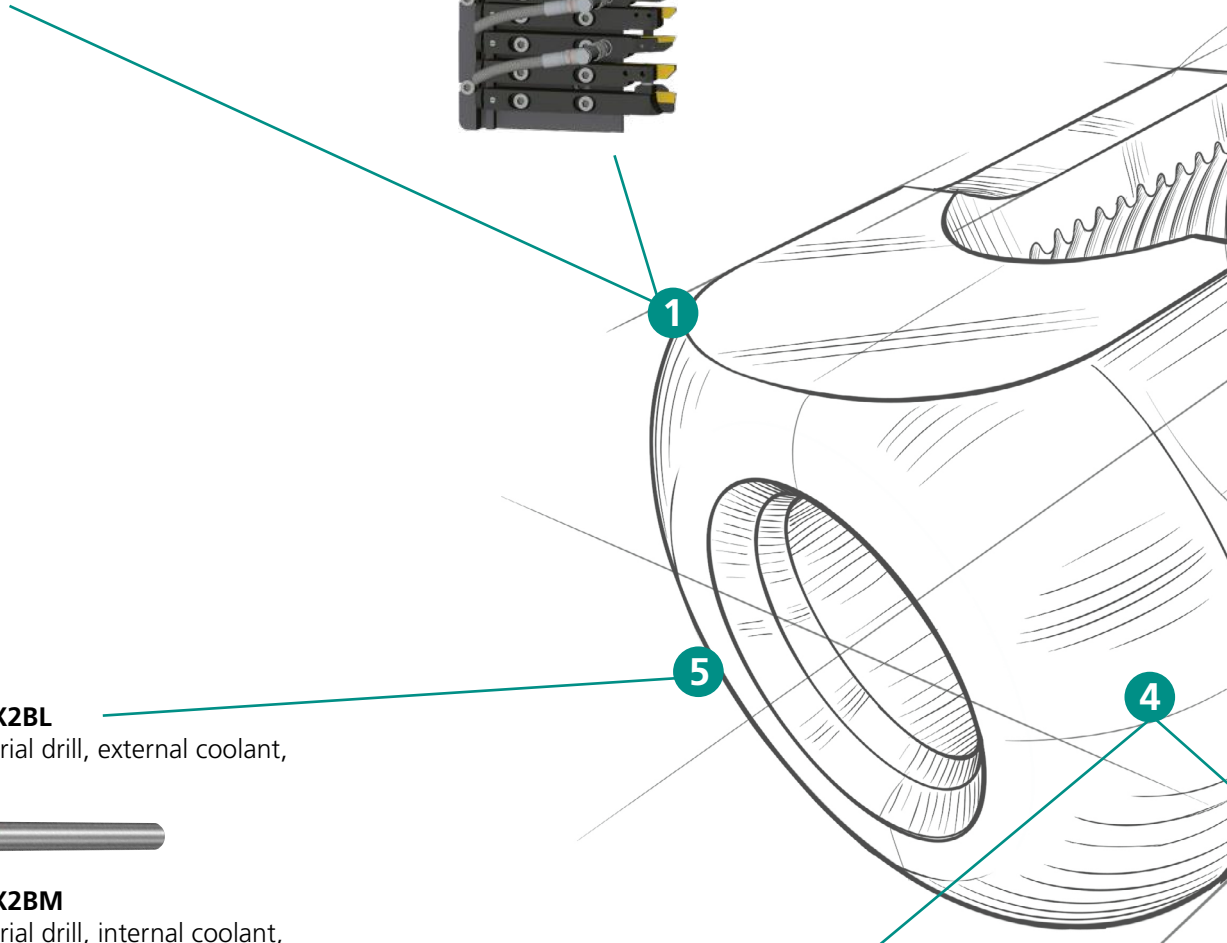
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## 4 CONTOUR TURNING

**SANDVIK**  
**Coromant**  
**CoroCut 1-2**

For contour turning of titanium alloys

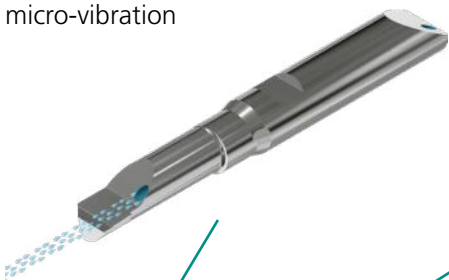


**2 INTERNAL TURNING**



**IN-LINE**

Versatile internal turning with minimised micro-vibration

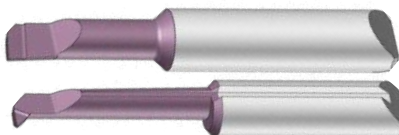


SANDVIK  
**Coromant**  
**CoroTurn® XS**

Internal turning with CoroTurn® XS is stable and there are no problems with chips wrapped around the tool. In addition, the machine operator does not need to be present during this work step.



**Profile turning bars**  
for inner contour MTKN/MTKH/MTKO



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**3 MILLING**

SANDVIK  
**Coromant**  
**CoroMill® Plura HFS Titanium**

4-flutes solution optimised for machining of titanium alloys



**DIXI**  
polytool

**DIXI 7343 7353**  
Shoulder and toric micro end mills for titanium and NiCo alloys, dia. **0.3–12.0 mm**



**ZX Geometry**

For excellent chip control in difficult materials



## B Monoaxial bone screw

### 2 THREADING



#### DC Swiss GWI 5000

For completely burr-free threads, even in difficult-to-machine materials, dia. **M1.4–M6**



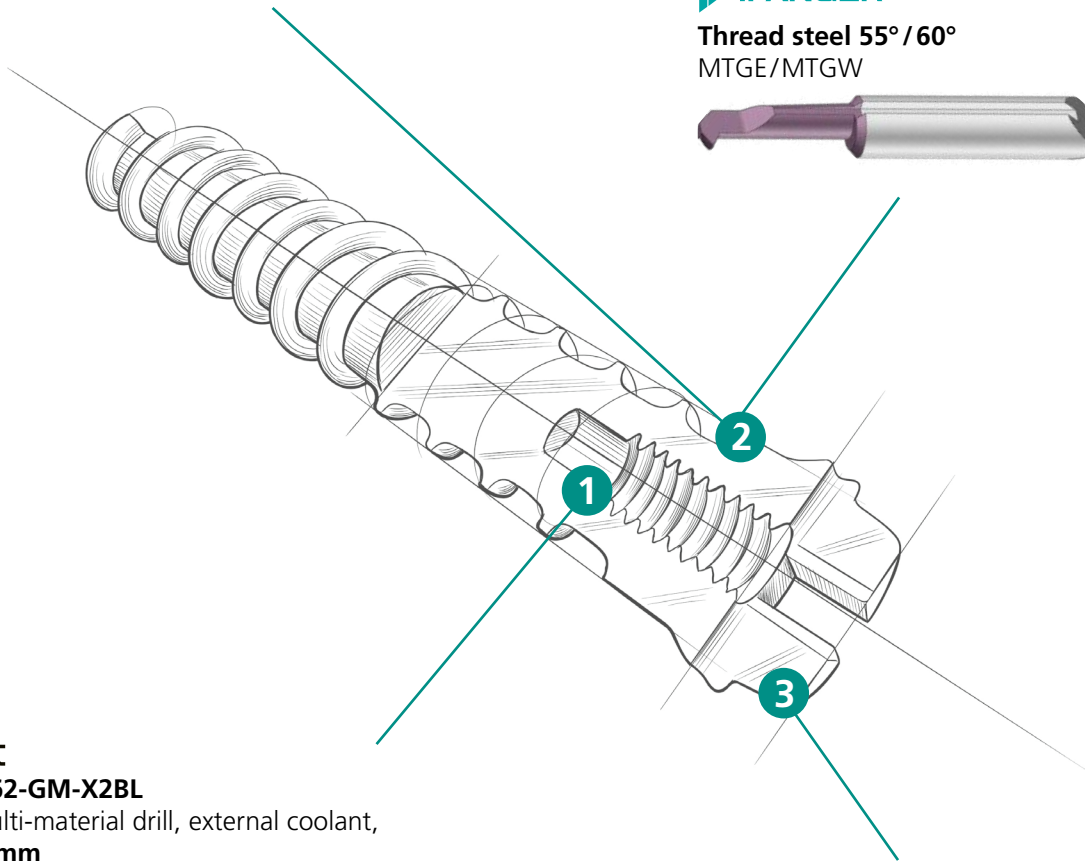
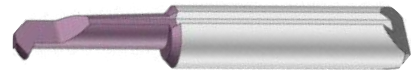
SANDVIK  
**COROMANT**  
**CoroMill® Plura**

Optimised multi-material thread milling cutter, dia. **M1.6**



**IFANGER**

**Thread steel 55° / 60°**  
MTGE/MTGW



### 1 DRILLING

SANDVIK  
**COROMANT**

#### CoroDrill® 862-GM-X2BL

Optimised multi-material drill, external coolant, dia. **0.3–3.0 mm**



#### CoroDrill® 862-GM-X2BM

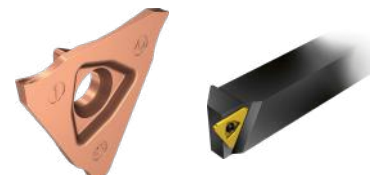
Optimised multi-material drill, internal coolant, dia. **1.0–3.0 mm**



### 3 PARTING OFF

SANDVIK  
**COROMANT**  
**CoroCut® 3**

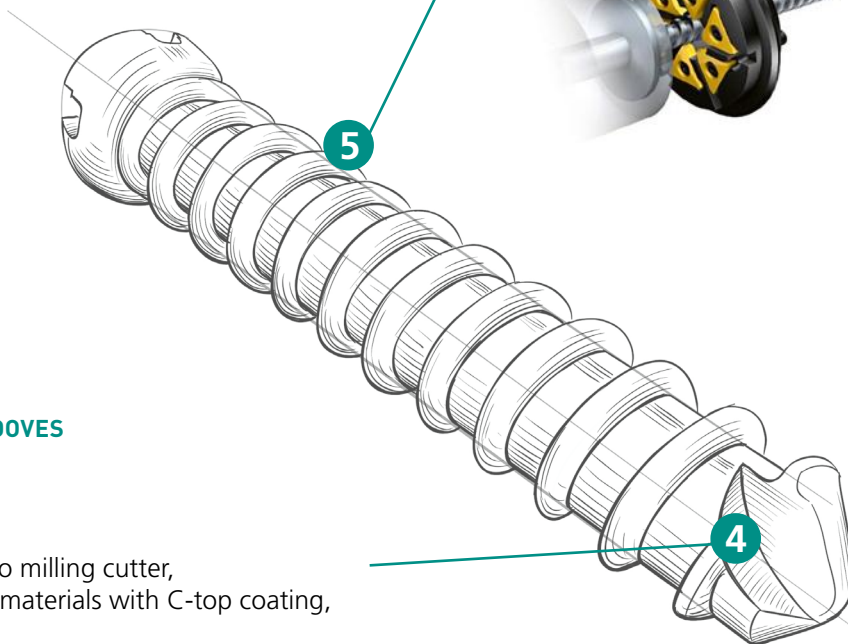
Precision parting-off of thin-walled or fragile components



5 THREAD WHIRLING

SANDVIK  
**Coromant**  
**CoroMill® 325**

Thread whirling for thread cutting on long and slender components

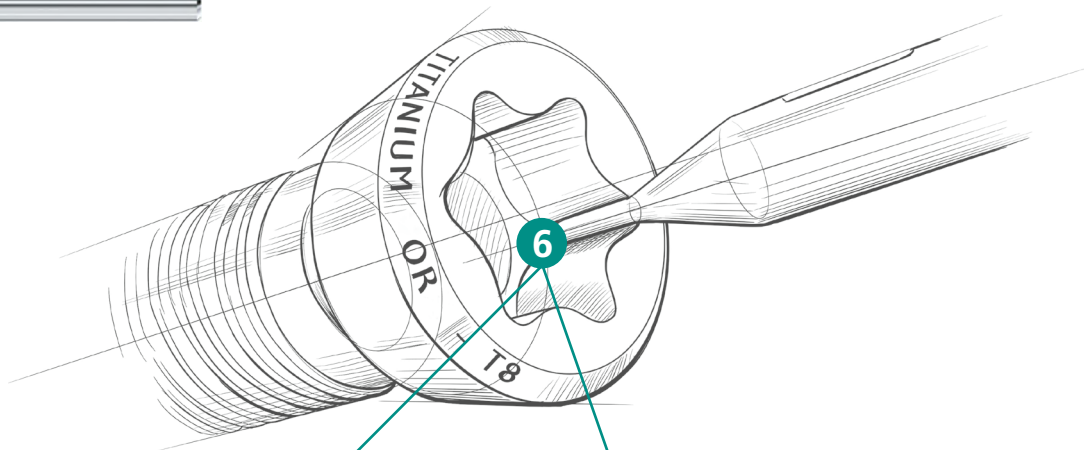


4 MILLING OF GROOVES

**DIXI**  
polytool

**DIXI 7353**

Torus shoulder micro milling cutter, especially for ISO-S materials with C-top coating, dia. 0.4 – 12.0 mm



6 MICROMACHINING

SANDVIK  
**Coromant**  
**CoroMill® Plura**

Shoulder and ball nose end mills for various materials with hardness ≤ 63 HRC



**VARDEX**  
Advanced Threading Solutions

**MicroBroach**

For the key contour of screw heads



**IFANGER**

Shoulder turning steel optional  
MTEE

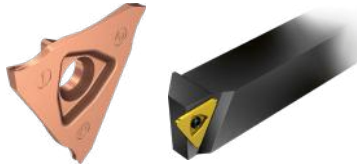


## B Monoaxial bone screw

### 3 GROOVING

SANDVIK  
**COROMANT**  
**CoroCut® 3**

Precision grooving of thin-walled or fragile components



### 5 DRILLING

SANDVIK  
**COROMANT**

**CoroDrill® 862-GM-X2BL**

Drilling, optimised multi-material drill, external coolant, dia. **0.3–3.0 mm**



**CoroDrill® 862-GM-X2BM**

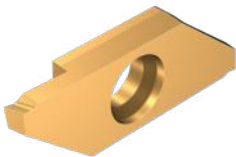
Drilling, optimised multi-material drill, internal coolant, dia. **1.0–3.0 mm**



### 4 PARTING OFF

SANDVIK  
**COROMANT**  
**CoroCut® XS**

Versatile system for parting off in small parts production



### 6 INTERNAL TURNING

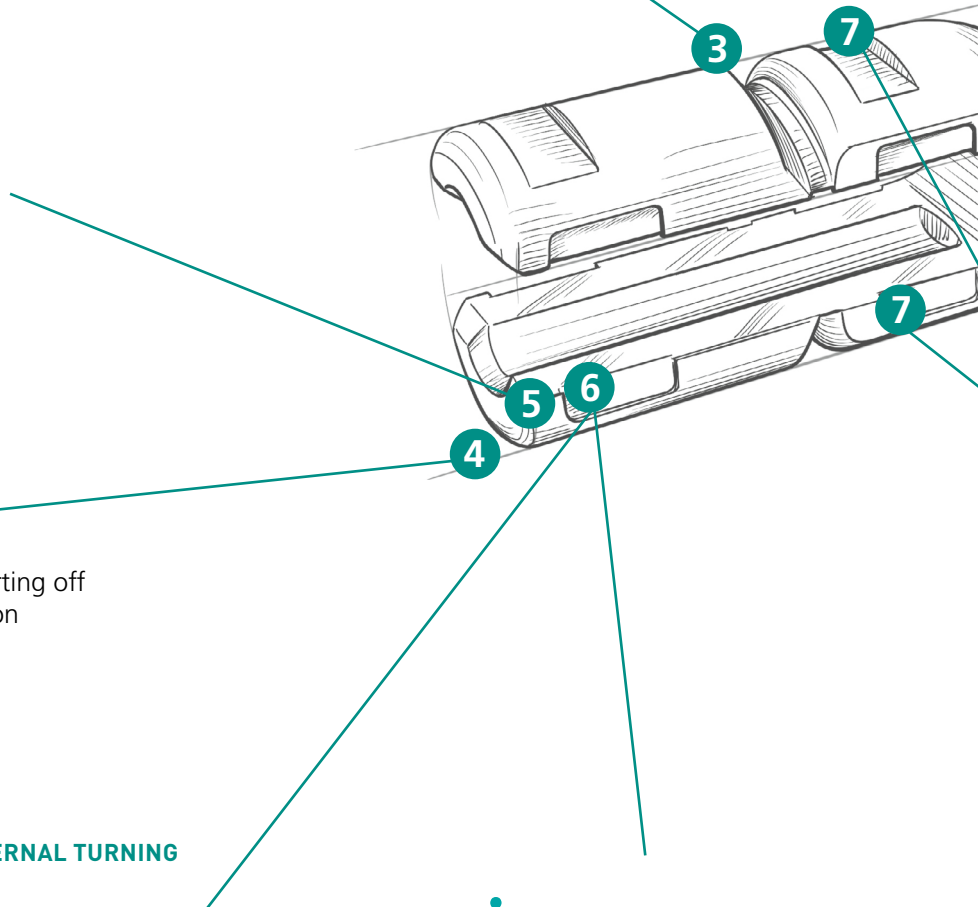
SANDVIK  
**COROMANT**  
**CoroTurn® 107**

Precision cooling with nozzles for optimised chip removal and maximum surface quality



**IFANGER**

**Shoulder steel optional**  
MTEE

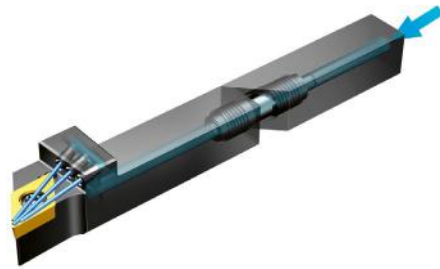




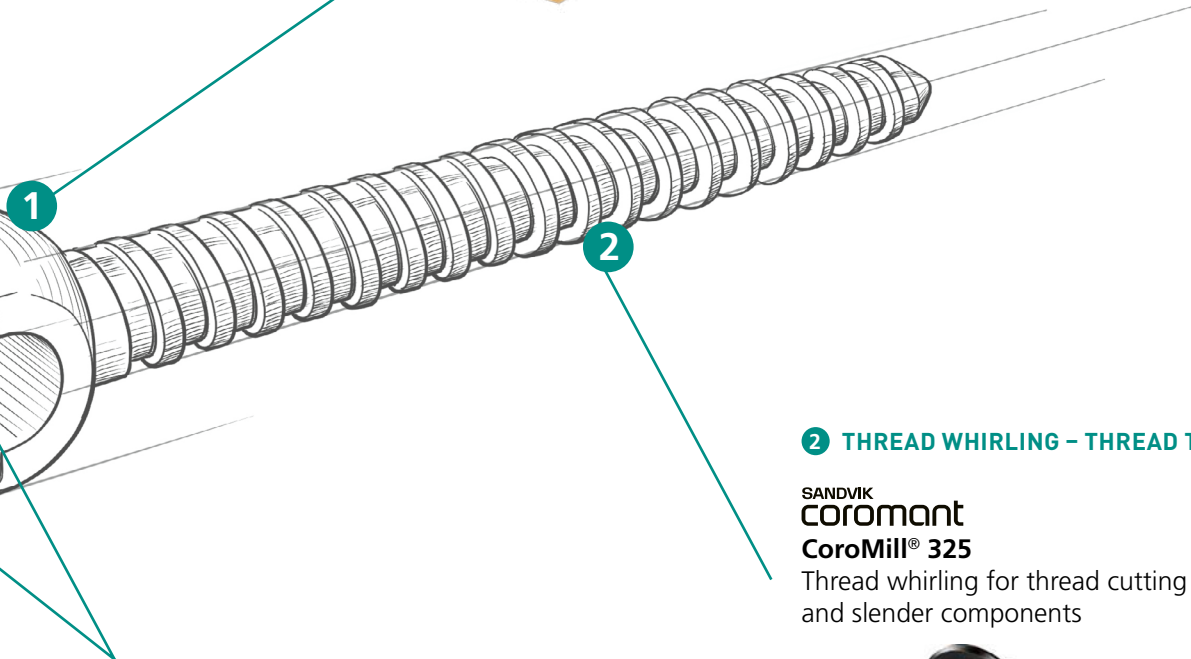
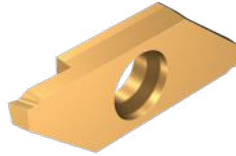
**1 TURNING - ROUGHING**

SANDVIK  
**CoroTurn® 107**

Optimised for roughing slender components



**CoroCut® XS**



**2 THREAD WHIRLING - THREAD TURNING**

SANDVIK  
**CoroMill® 325**

Thread whirling for thread cutting on long and slender components



**7 MILLING OF GROOVES**

**DIXI**  
polytool

**DIXI 7353**

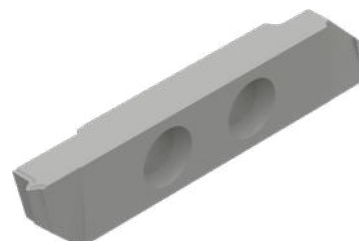
C-TOP coated for difficult-to-machine materials



**APPLITEC**  
SWISS TOOLING

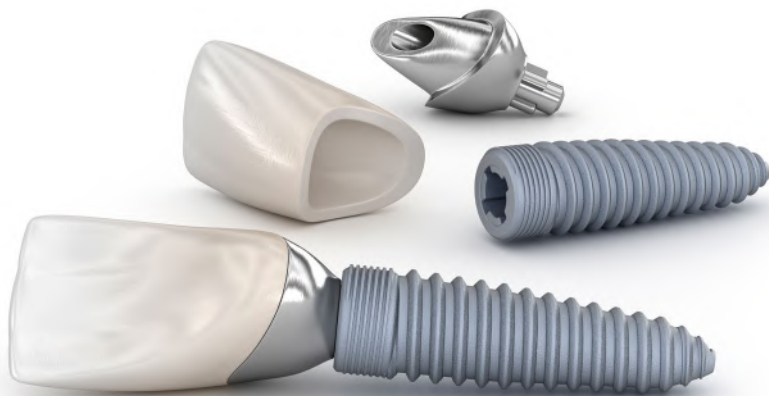
**TOP LINE 766ZX**

With honed blade for thread turning in difficult materials



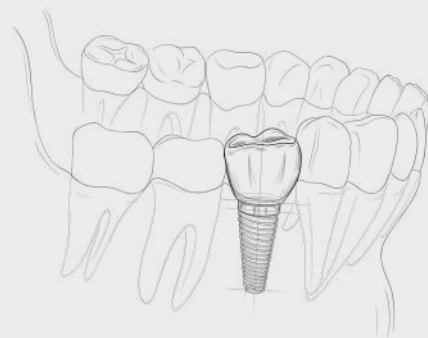
# Dental implants

Dental implants are usually made of **titanium**. However, ceramic implants can be an alternative for high-risk patients with intolerances and other chronic pre-existing conditions. As long-term studies are still pending, titanium implants are preferable if possible.



## THE GREATEST ADVANTAGES OF PURE TITANIUM

- High biocompatibility
- Excellent tissue compatibility
- No allergies, no rejection
- Rapid integration into the jawbone
- High implant stability
- Extremely durable, break-resistant and long-lasting
- Light and elastic



**Short turning**

Dental implant  
dia. 6 × 11 mm, titanium

Lamina hook  
dia. 24 × 20 mm, titanium

Dental implant base  
dia. 7 × 12 mm, titanium



# Dental implants

## 5 MICROMACHINING

### GÜHRING

#### Mikrodiver / MicroMill $\mu$ 55 U

With peripheral cooling for optimal chip removal



## 3 TURNING

### SANDVIK COROMANT CoroTurn® 107

Turning and profile turning,  
diameter: 6–40 mm, RE  $\geq$  0.02 mm



### CoroCut® XS

Turning, profile turning and back turning,  
diameter: 1–8 mm, RE  $\geq$  0.03 mm



## 1 MICRO-DRILLING

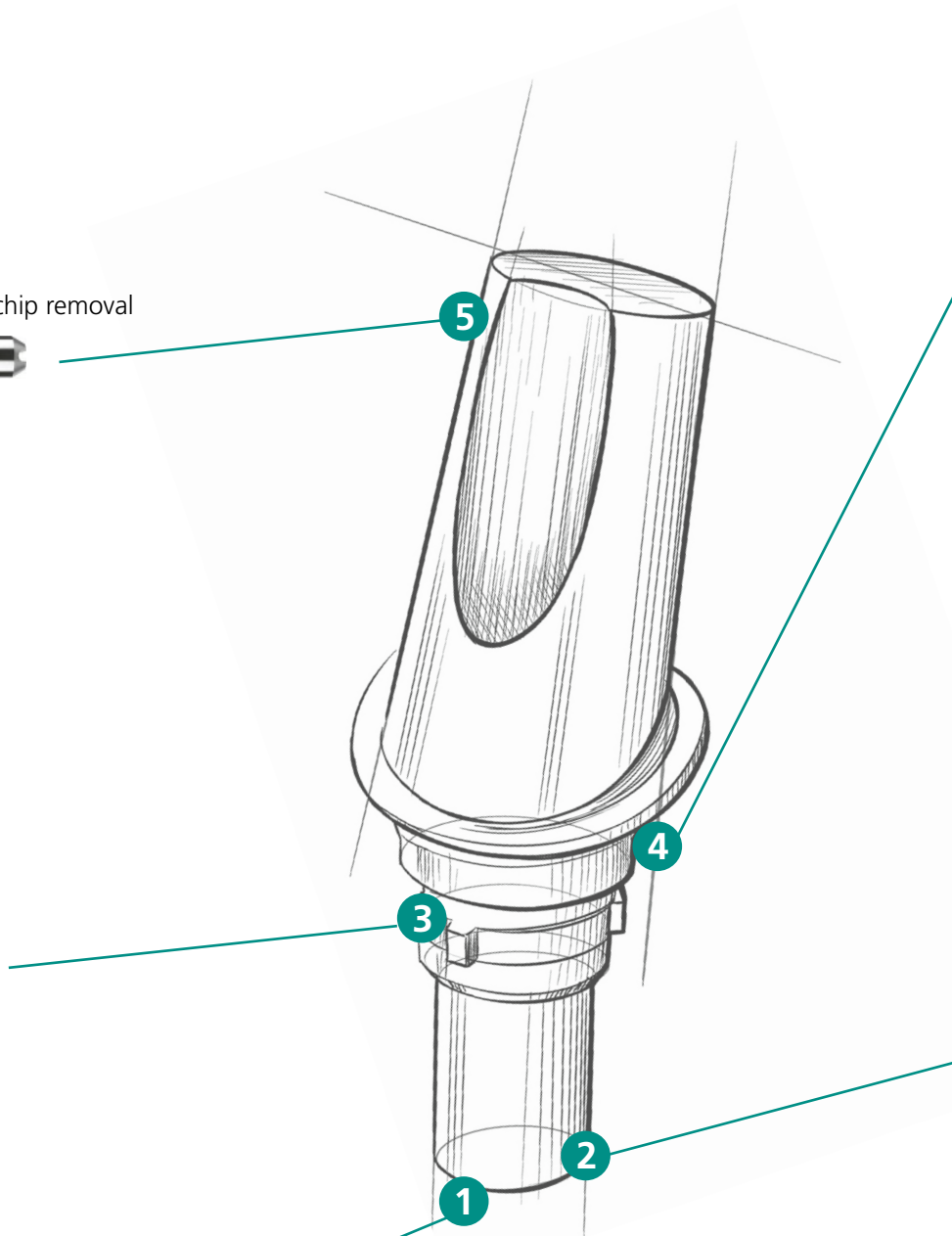
### SANDVIK COROMANT CoroDrill® 862-GM-X2BL

Optimised multi-material drill, external coolant,  
dia. 0.3–3.0 mm



### CoroDrill® 862-GM-X2BM

Optimised multi-material drill, internal coolant,  
dia. 1.0–3.0 mm



**4 GROOVING**

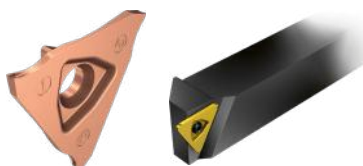
SANDVIK  
**Coromant**  
**CoroCut® XS**

Max. cutting depth: 1.3–3.7 mm,  
cutting width: 0.5–2.5 mm



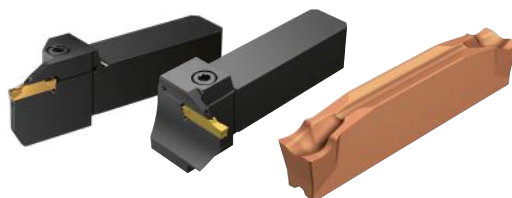
**CoroCut® 3**

Max. cutting depth: 3–6 mm,  
cutting width: 0.5–3.18 mm



**CoroCut® 1–2**

Max. cutting depth: 6–16 mm,  
cutting width: 1.5–3 mm



**CoroCut® QD**

Max. cutting depth: > 16 mm,  
cutting width: 1–3 mm



**2 THREADING**

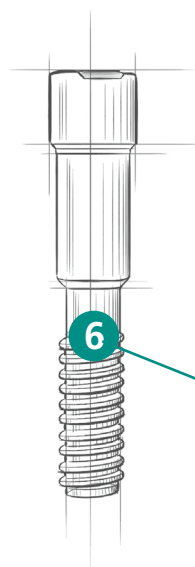
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**Coromant**  
**CoroMill® Plura R217**

Optimised multi-material thread milling cutter,  
Starting from size: **M1.6**



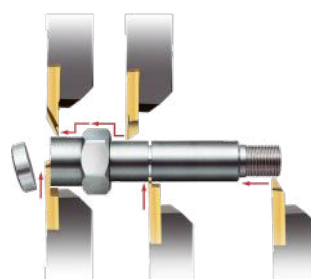
**DIXI**  
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**Thread whirler DIXI 1730**  
M 0.8–M 10.00, Z = 3–6



**6 TURNING**

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**CoroCut® XS**





# Dental implants

## 1 MICRO-DRILLING

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**CoroDrill® 862-GM-X2BL**

Micro-drill, optimised multi-material drill, external coolant, dia. **0.3–3.0 mm**



**CoroDrill® 862-GM-X2BM**

Micro-drill, optimised multi-material drill, internal coolant, dia. **1.0–3.0 mm**



## 4 INTERNAL TURNING

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**CoroTurn® XS**

Internal turning with CoroTurn® XS is a stable process. There are no problems with chips wrapped around the tool. In addition, the machine operator does not need to be present during this work step.



**IFANGER**

**Shoulder steel optional**

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## 2 THREADING

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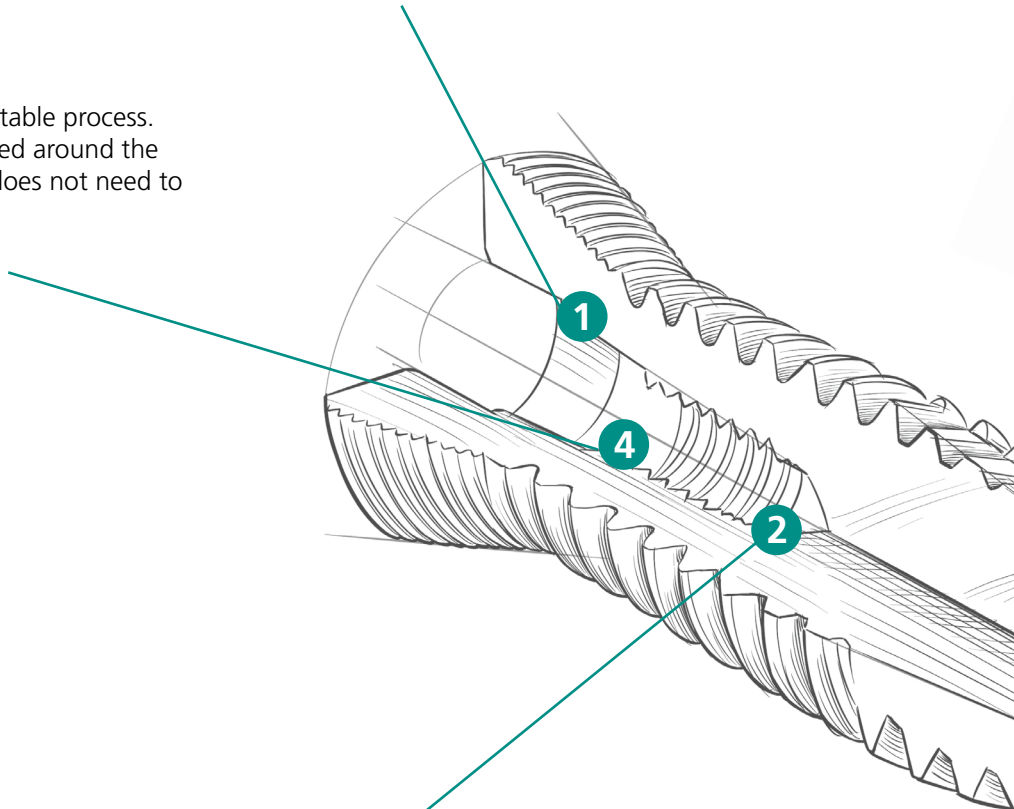
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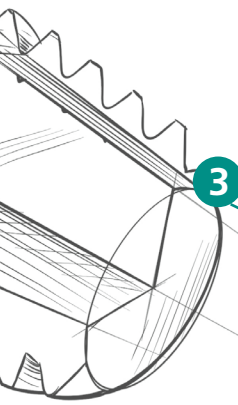
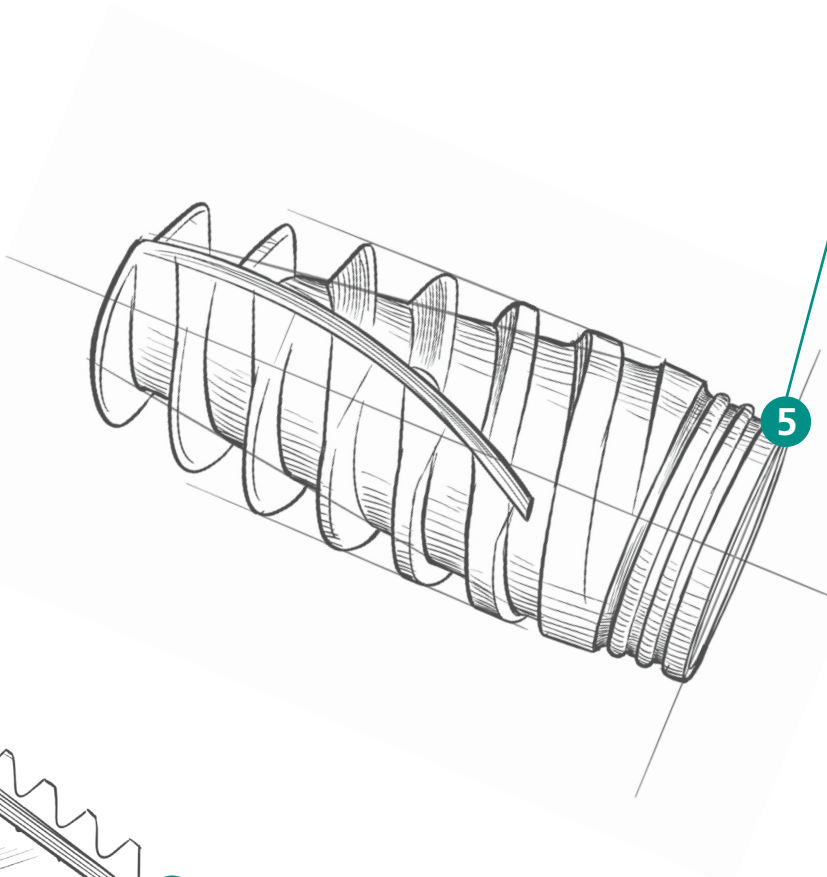


5 THREAD WHIRLING

**VARDEX**  
Advanced Threading Solutions

**V-Whirling VWM**

High-precision whirling system for medical and micro-machining



3 MILLING

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**DIXI 7253**

Milling cutters with different helix angles

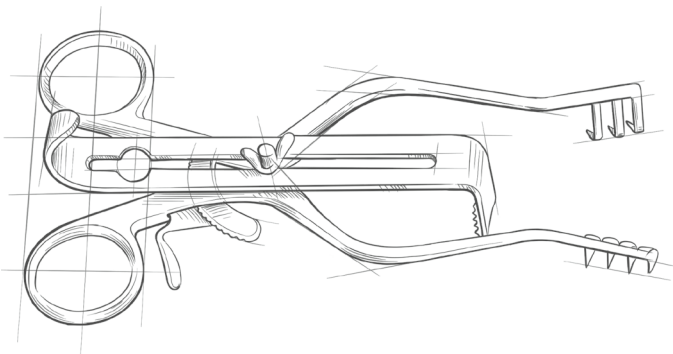


# Surgical instruments

The **materials** used to manufacture surgical instruments are standardised both nationally and internationally. As the function of most instruments requires high strength, **hardenable chromium steels with low to medium carbon content** are used.

The chromium content is  $> 12.5\%$ , as only this content can guarantee sufficient corrosion resistance. Since the much more corrosion-resistant chromium-nickel steels are not hardenable, they can only be used to make bowls and special, large-surface instruments

For example: Stainless steel 1.4021 (ISO-OP), X8CrNiS 18-9 (ISO-Mn)



## Tempering

Tempering is the most important production step for the function and reprocessing of most instruments. Tempering ensures that hardenable chrome steel instruments have the required hardness, durability and corrosion resistance.

Instruments made of chromium-nickel steels cannot be hardened; these steels are therefore only suitable for special instruments.

For manufacturers, this means that it is necessary to work in a single clamping operation if possible. On the other hand, this requires high material removal rates for both small and large tool sizes.

In the medical field, the focus is also on ensuring that the edges of the workpieces are **free of burrs**. If a burr were to detach in the patient's body, this piece of metal could cause a lot of damage unnoticed. The higher the surface quality, the more difficult it is for germs to take hold, and the easier it is to sterilise the instrument.







# Surgical instruments

## 1 ROUGHING

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**CoroMill® Plura HD – ISO M**

Roughing of the external contour, the internal shape of the handle and the pockets, finishing, grade: M2CM



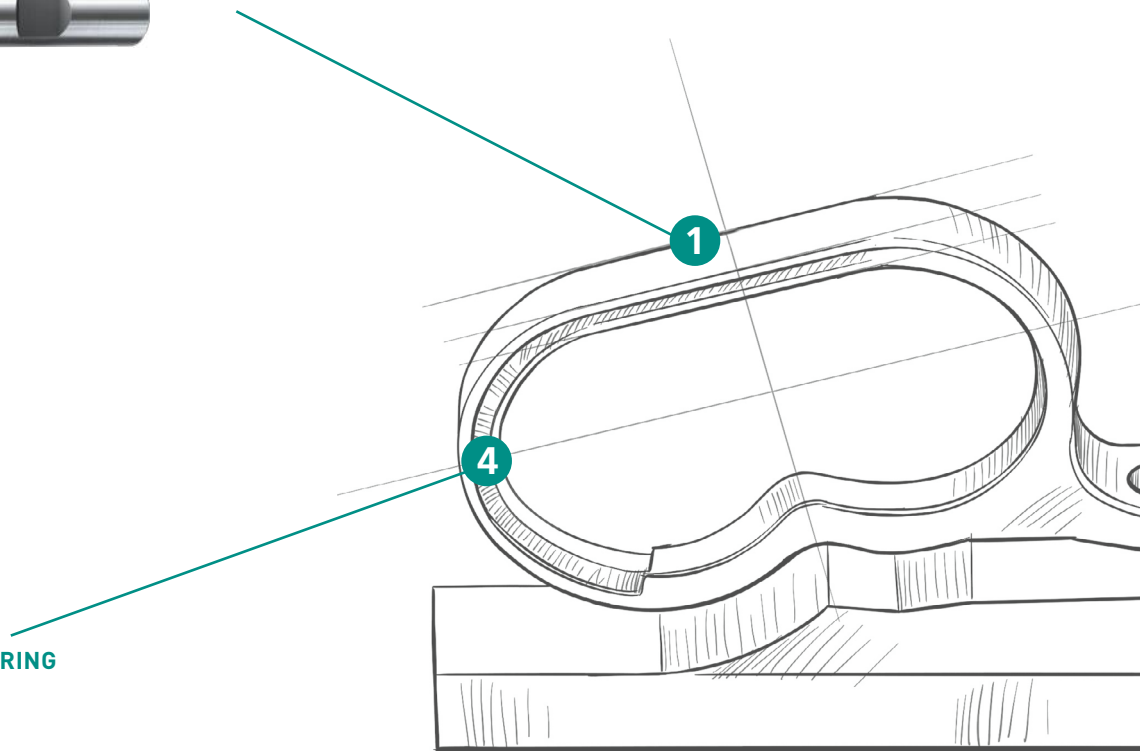
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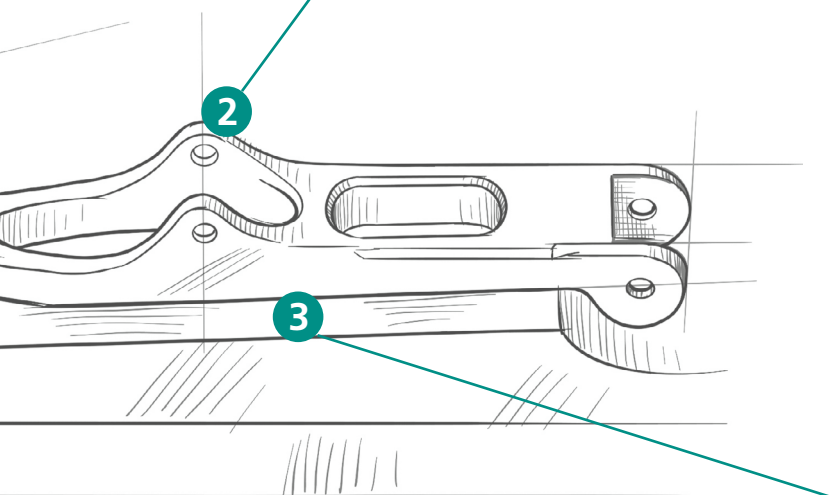
**Coromant**

**CoroMill® Plura 316**

Chamfering/deburring of the complete component, geometry and grade suitable for a wide range of materials 15°, 30°, 45°





**2 DRILLING**SANDVIK  
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dia. **1.0–3.0 mm****3 MILLING**SANDVIK  
**Coromant****CoroMill® Plura**Shoulder milling cutter for various materials  
with hardness  $\leq 63$  HRC**AMUGE**  
**FRANKEN****FRANKEN TiNox-Cut**High-performance roughing end mill for titanium,  
nickel and cobalt alloys, as well as corrosion-resistant  
steels.

## Titanium lamina hooks

Dia. 24×20 mm

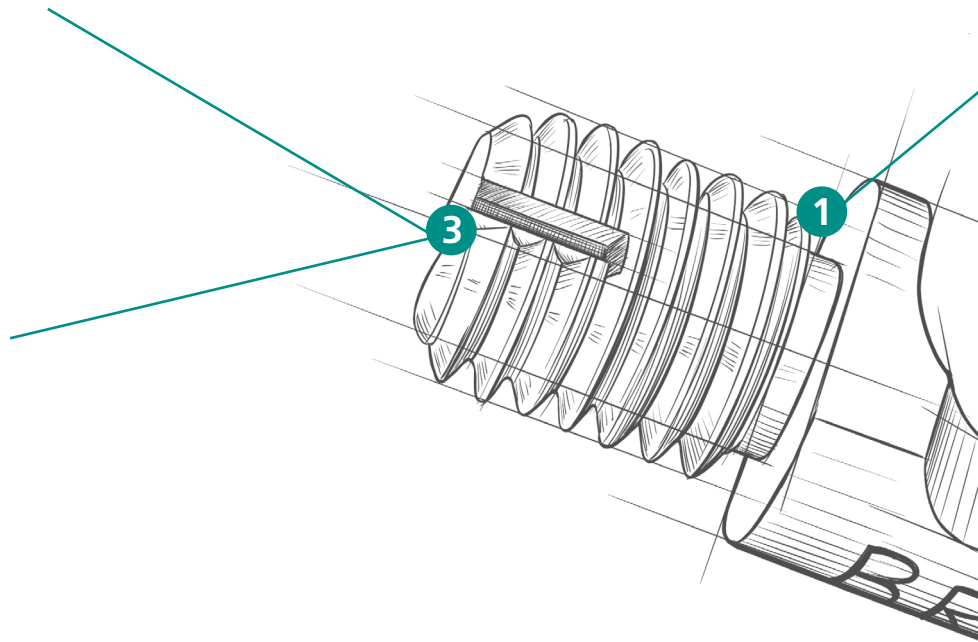
### 3 CIRCULAR SAWS



**APPLITEC** Circular saw blades Type 1101



**DIXI VHM** Circular saw blade Type A  
Fine toothing, DIN 1837A



### 4 ENGRAVING



**APPLITEC MICRO-Line**

Wide range of different versions and coatings



**3 / 4 ENGRAVING CUTTER DIXI 7007 DINAC**  
DINAC-coating improves tool life in iron and non-ferrous materials



## 1 MICROMACHINING

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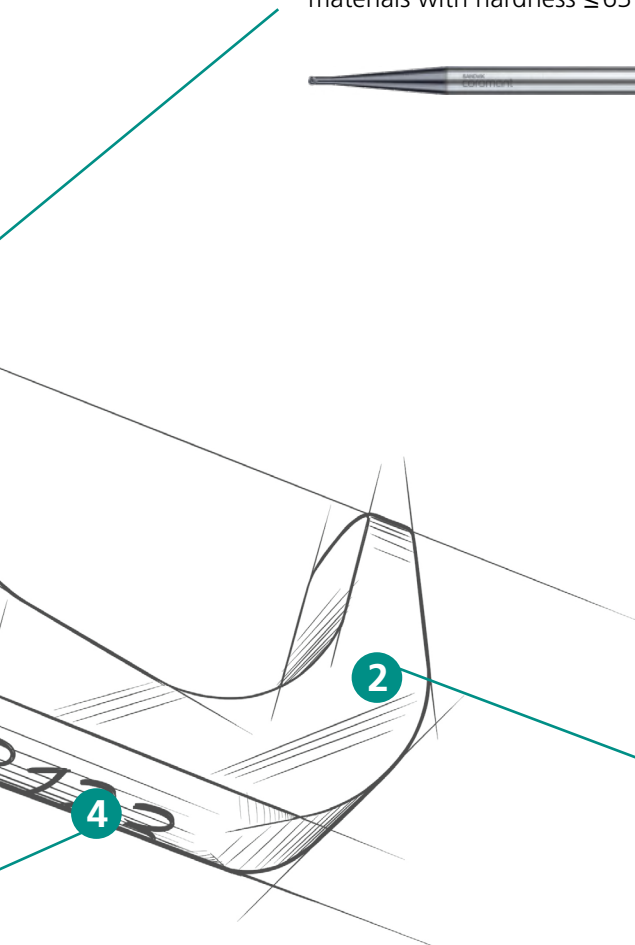
Shoulder and ball nose end mills for various materials with hardness  $\leq 63$  HRC



## 2 MILLING

SANDVIK  
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**CoroMill® Plura HFS Titanium**

Solution optimised for machining of titanium alloys

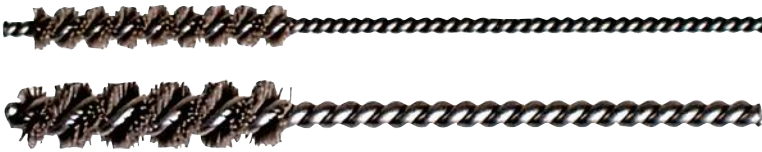


# Finishing

## 1 BRUSHING



Tungsten carbide/ceramic/diamond brushes



## 2 CLEANING

**FUTURO**

Automated workpiece cleaning



## 3 DEBURRING

**FUTURO**

Solid carbide tools for ISO-M and ISO-S materials





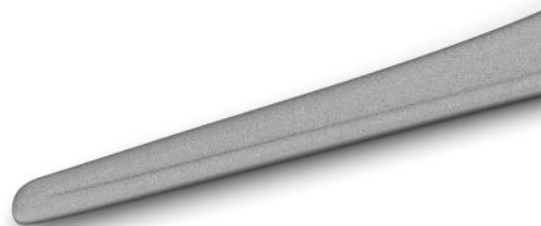


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# Metrology solutions for the medical components

## Prosthetics profiling



### SYLVAC MEASURING BENCH PS16 V2 LV SMART

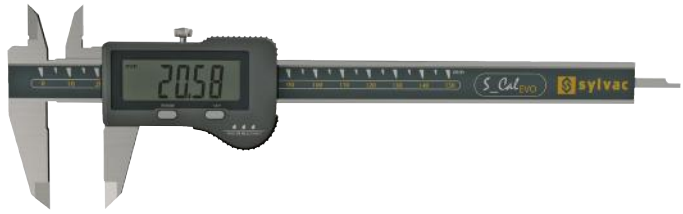
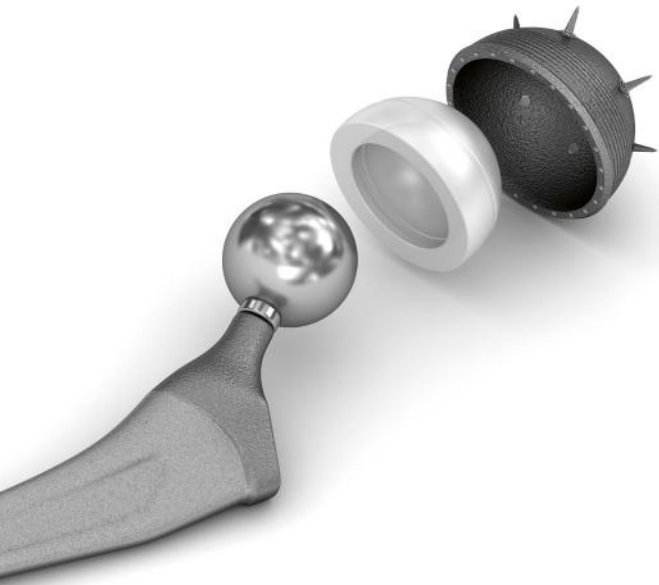
**Superior performance:** These benches provide accurate measurement of small and complicated components that are otherwise difficult to handle, ensuring consistent and reliable results. With a proven track record of success in demanding applications in the medical industry. You can rely on this bench to provide accurate measurements each and every time.



### MEASURING BENCH PS15 BV/BV+

**Vertical measuring bench:** The small and versatile vertical measuring bench inspects small parts up to 10 mm with a linear ball bearing spindle guide. Perfect for measuring shoulder heights.

Precise and customisable: display of measurement values with a choice of a digital dial or a Sylvac measuring probe for a resolution of up to 0.0001 mm. The bench is equipped with a wide range of accessories for a variety of applications.



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**FUTURO**

Digital sliding Gauge FUTURO, IP67



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**MEASURING PROBE P25D**

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## Measurement of the properties / diameter of bone screws



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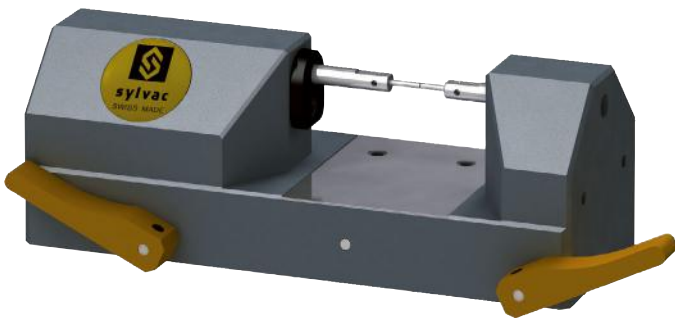


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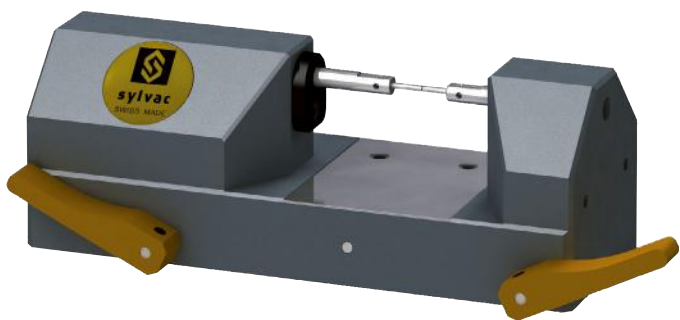


## Thread measurement for dental implants



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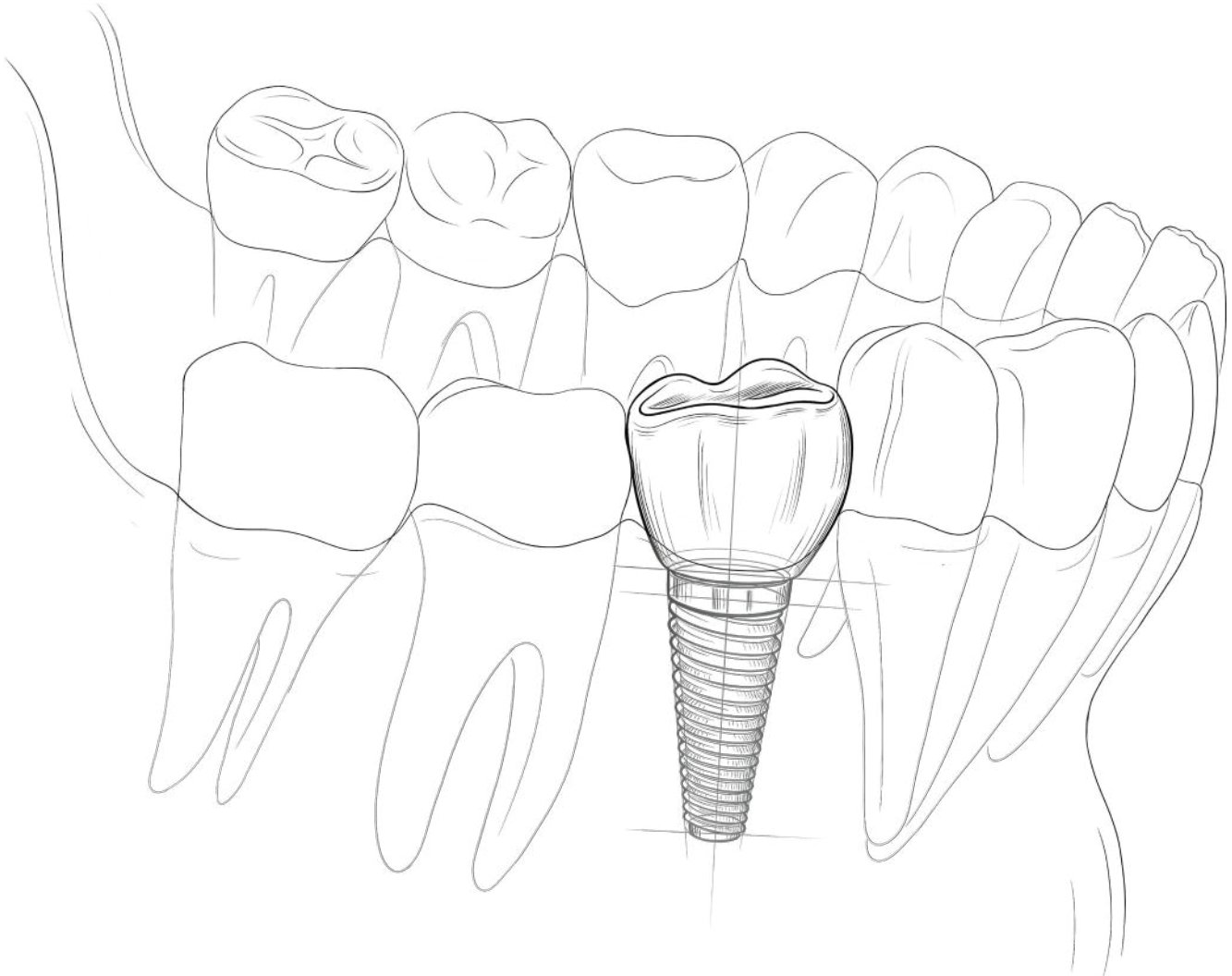


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## Optical measurement of external contours



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#### SYLVAC SCAN S25T

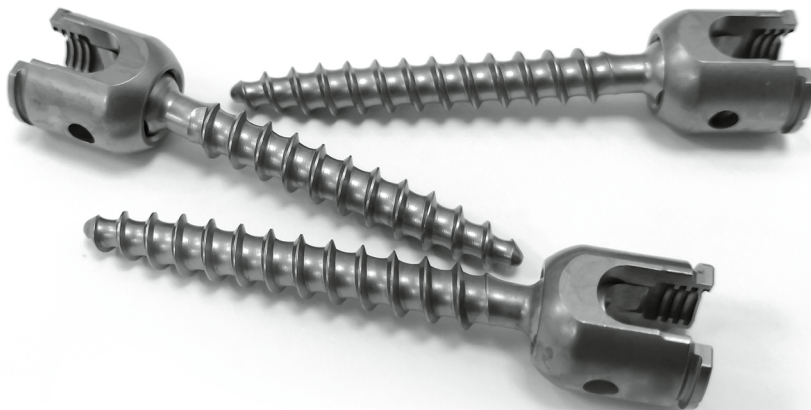
This high-resolution and highly accurate machine is ideal for **measurements on small cylindrical parts up to Ø 26 mm and 200 mm in length, where measurement time and accuracy are of the essence.**

With a complete 2D part scan that takes less than three seconds, **inspection times are reduced**, scrap is minimised and **overall productivity is increased.**

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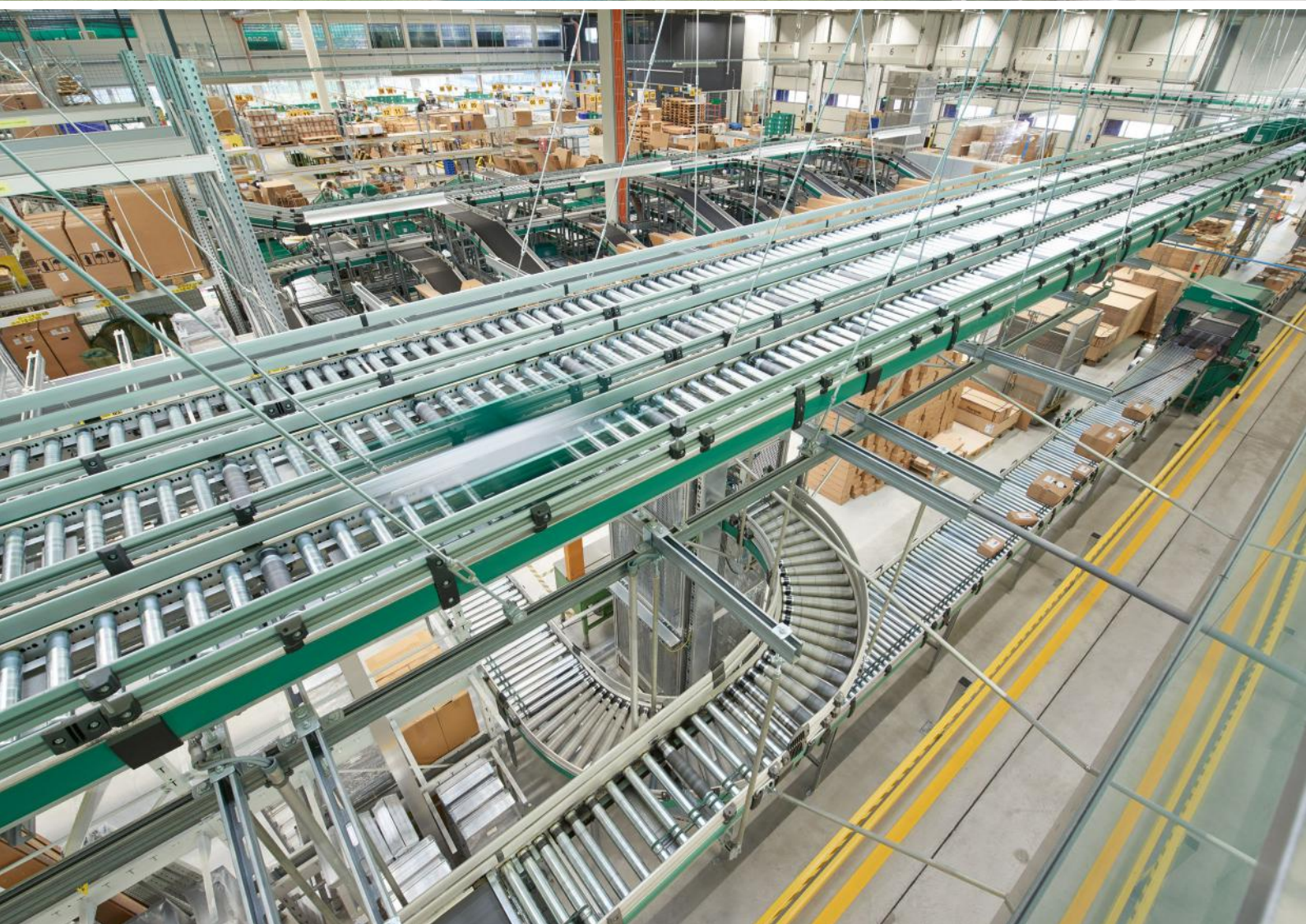


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